### THREE FOREST FIRES THREATEN CALIFORNIA

More Than 1000 Men Fighting Southern District

(United Press Lessed Wire.)
Los Angeles, Oct. 27.—Three destructive forest fires are raging today in southern California, and according to late reports, were spreading in spite of the efforts of more than 1000 fire fight-

A line of fire 20 miles long swept over a portion of the Cucamongs and Rialto foothills in the Sau Bernardino range, and today had grown into the most serious fire of the season in that region. Valuable water sheds were en-

Another fire, starting early yesterday, is burning through the Calabasas district in the Malibu mountains, near the Los Angeles county coast. Several Los Angeles county coast. Several ranch buildings were singed but none

was reported consumed A serious fire swept a portion of the Etiwanda valley during the night, but was less threatening today. A change of wind, however, may cause further

Mountain Resorts in Danger.

Ontario, Cal., Oct. 27 .- Ontario's wa ter shed was saved today from the for-est fire that is sweeping the Etiwanda region, by a fortunate shift of the wind. The shift, however, threatens the destruction of a dozen mountain resorts on Lytle creek canyon, where 200 men are fighting the flames. Five hundred men under Forest Su-

pervisor Jones are contesting the fire's advance above Ontario. Before noon today thousands of acres bordering on the city's water shed had been denuded of forest and brush. The fire was the worst in the history of this section.

### WITH FEET BOUND. BODY OF MAYOR

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She waited until 11 o'clock and then.

becoming alarmed, reported the disap-pearance of her husband to John Olson, who, with Rueben Cavanaugh, Robert Whitty and a number of others, started

One of the men found a statement supposed to have been made by Jordan, the details of which he will not give out until it has been given to the offi-cers. The statement said Jordan's body would be found in the bay.

The statement was found in the Jor-

dan stables. The first men alarmed searched the premises of the Jordan residence and, finding no trace of the missing man, notified others. Practically the whole town was alarmed and all night the search was kept up. Foul Play Peared.

The incident was naturally connected with the missing city money. Some thought that Jordan had met foul play

OF ORIGINAL SIX HUNDRED PIONEERS ONLY FIVE REMAIN



From left to right-Mrs. J. T. Hembree, J. T. Hembree, Mrs. Kirkwood, Mrs. Wayne C. Hembree, Wayne

been mayor of the city several terms, Eastside is opposite Marshfield, and has a population of about 400, and was incorporated as a separate city several years ago. During the past year many

city improvements have been made. Jordan stood for a closed town, not even allowing a public pool hall in the city. He was held in respect in the Bay cities.

Mr. Jordan was a native of England.

Y OF MAYOR

He formerly lived in Maine, and came
IS FOUND IN BAY
He worked in some of the first mills

Mrs. Jordan is 71 years old.

The Eastside people are now more anxious than ever that the thief who took the funds from the city hall be ap-

#### AGED WOMAN IS INSTANTLY KILLED BY TROLLEY CAR

(Continued From Page One.) s addressed to the superintendent of the poorhouse and hospital for the in-sane at Magdensburg, Germany. She says her first husband, Gottlieb Bussie, died at that hospital and asks that proof of this death be sent her as soon as possible, as she is too old to work any more and the information is neces-sary to aid her in securing a pension. She says Bussle was insane at the time of his death. She also recounts that with the missing city money. Some thought that Jordan had met foul play at the hands of those who took the money.

Mrs. Jordan is almost prostrated.

A. M. Jordan, a son who lives in San Francisco, has been notified by wire the details. She also recounts that street being very wet, the taxi skidded and as it swung Miss Schiewe was hit by the rear fender and thrown to the ground. The other girl was not injured.

Woman Passenger Bruised.

Timid and retiring, Mrs. Kenter never and wetness of the pavement Killian's

C. Hembree. McMinnville, Or., Oct. 27.—Of an immigrant party from Missouri that crossed the plains by ox team and settled in Yamhili county in 1843 there are but five of the sturdy pathfinders that the plains. They are James T. Hembree, and wife (Melvins Milliken), experiences of the early days.

and asked to come. Jordan and his wife lived alone in their home at Eastside. In the little shack all alone, save for a street was a failure. Instead he plunged he was a man of small means but not savage dog which she kept locked in head-on into a telegraph pole standing poor and owned his home and had an the house as a protection whenever she next to the curb right on the corner. He was a man of small means but not poor and owned his home and had an income sufficient for his wants. He had income sufficient for his wants. He had went out. The house is set far back from the street in a mass of grape from the street in a mass of grape. vines which almost run riot. In one room is stored a quantity of hay, for what purpose no one residing near has

any idea.

Until a few months ago Mrs. Kenter had been living in a barn like building at the rear of a cottage occupied by her son. Why she removed to other premises is not known among the neighbors, though some say it was because of disagreements. The son is said to be about to be married.

Besides Motorman O'Brien, the street railway employes in charge of the train ware H. L. Mielke, conductor of the forward car, and F. C. Morasch, conductor on the trailer.

any idea.

on the trailer.

It is probable that an inquest will be

held, though the time for this has not been set. Arrangements for the funeral will not be made until the son can be lo-

#### YOUNG WOMAN IS RUN DOWN BY TAXICAB, AND MAY BE FATALLY HURT

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later in the evening to the Good Samar-itan hospital. Examining physicians are unable to say as yet just how serious her injuries are. Besides the shock and severe bruises sustained she suffered a concussion of the brain and is believed, stepped almost directly in front of the approaching taxi. According to the approaching taxi. According to the story told by the driver Miss Schlewe was slightly in sidvance of her friend and was making diagonally across the street toward the Rose City Pharmacy on the corner. Killian asserts that he applied his brakes and tried to turn out of the way into Failing street. The street being very wet, the taxi skidded and as it swung Miss Schiewe was hit by the rear fender and thrown to the

the Portland Taxicab company, stated this morning that the allegation that the taxi was going at a rate of 40 miles an hour was unjust.

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"We have not got a machine that can attach that high speed," he said this morning. "A recent test by city officials showed \$1 miles per hour to be the maximum on our fastest machine. Killian did every thing in his power to avert the accident and ran into the pole in an attempt to avoid running Miss Schiewe down. Killian has been with us three mosths, and is known to be a careful driver."

Residents of the neighborhood are somewhat aroused over the accident as

Residents of the neighborhood are somewhat aroused over the accident as a number of people have been run down along Union avenue during the past few months. Going south on Union avenue at this point is a long sweeping grade upon which automobiles have an excellent opportunity to attain considerable momentum. It was asserted that the taxleab skidded 54 feet before hit-ting Miss Schiewe. Officials of the company claim such a thing would have been impossible, however, as the ten-dency of a rapidly moving skidding car is to turn in a circle and not go on a direct line.

# DR. LOGAN, THE DALLES, DIES THIS MORNING

The Dalles, Or., Oct. 27.-Dr. Hugh ogan, pioneer physician of The Dalles, fied at Z o'clock this morning. He had been fill since Thursday.

These settlers were in a party of hearly 600, which came first to Oregon City
and crossed the Willamette river on the
old ferry then operated at Wheatland,
Or. They settled in that vicinity and
in different parts of the territory which
has since been named Yamhili county. Dr. Logan was born at Dayton, Or .. March 7, 1850. When he was 6 years old he was brought to The Dalles by his parents. When he was 15 his parents were lost in the wreck of the Brother onethan. The family had gone to Calfornia for the benefit of the mother's street was a failure. Instead he plunged head-on into a telegraph pole standing next to the curb right on the corner. The taxicab hit with such force that health, and when ready to return Hugh was sent north only a week previous to he sailing of the fated ship.

Dr. Logan was a graduate of a St. Louis medical college, and had made this city his home practically all his life. He was a Mason, being a Shriner and a Knight Templar, and was also a member of the Elks. He is survived by a soa by his first wife, Dr. Ray Logan of La Grande. In 1898 he was married to Miss Mary Lay, who also survives him. Other relatives are Sheriff Levi Hirshman and Mrs. Henry Taylor, cousins. The funeral will be held from the family residence Wednesday afternoon.

#### for an arc light attached to the pole. The force of the collision is also shown by scars on the pole. Although the taxi was smashed considerably it was able to get to the Union avenue garage of the COMMISSIONER WILLING ,, TO START TEST CASE Portland Taxicab company under its

Salam, Or., Oct. 27.—Labor Commis-sioner O. P. Hoff said today that as soon as the deputy district attorney adviess him how to proceed he will com-ply with the request of the state board of control by immediately bringing action against the superintendent of one of the institutions on the charge of violating the eight hour labor law. It will be a criminal suit, and Mr. Hoff was uncertain whether action should be brought in the justice court or di-rectly before the grand jury. The October grand jury has, adjourned, and another will not meet until December.
It is probable that the action will be brought against Superintendent Steiner of the asylum, as that institution em-

was coming down Union avenue at a rate of over 40 miles per hour. Killian, however, asserts that he was moving at about 15 miles and that he blew his horn in all effort to warn Miss Schiewe. The skidding of the machine on the slippery asphalt flung the rear of the taxl against the young woman. But for the telegraph pole the car and its occupants would have gone through the door of the Rose City pharmacy.

Daniel F, Stuart, traffic manager of the vesterday.

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Killian was thrown out and one of his passengers, Mrs. Miller, who lives at Twenty-fourth and Clackamas streets.

was wedged in so tightly that bystanders had difficulty in extricating her. She was painfully bruised but otherwise uninjured. A gentleman who accompanied her was unhurt. After medical attendance by Dr. John G. Abele she proceded to her home in another taxi. Killian, the driver, was not hurt. The impact broke the hoisting cable for an are light attached to the pole.

Say Taxi Was-Speeding.

west corner of Union avenue and Fall-ing street and later removed to her home. Her condition was found to be so serious, however, that she was taken

to be injured internally. She has been only partially conscious all the forencon. Claim has been made that the taxicab was coming down Union avenue at a

Miss Schiewe was first carried into the Rose City pharmacy on the south

own power.

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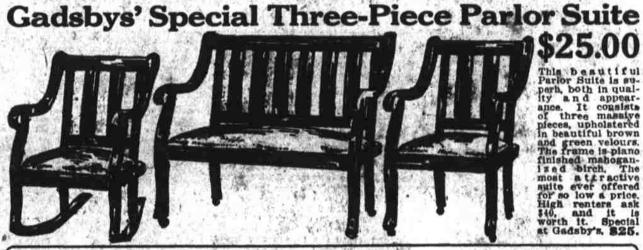
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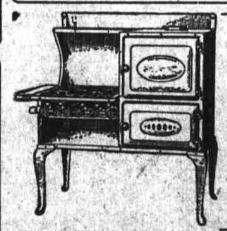
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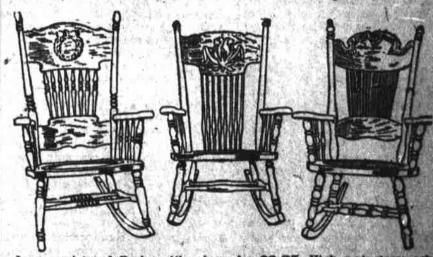
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