

LONG-BELL CO. KELSO PROJECT IS UNDER WAY

SOUTHERN LUMBERMAN PLANS NEW MILL CITY



R. A. Long, chairman of the Long-Bell Lumber company, who is planning mills at the mouth of the Cowlitz river with a capacity of 600,000,000 feet annually.

Preparations Are Begun With Sale of \$9,000,000 Bond Issue; 4000 Men to Get Work.

Kelso, Wash., Aug. 12.—With the sale of a \$9,000,000 bond issue by the Long-Bell Lumber company of Kansas City, that company is completing preparations for the greatest single industrial development that has ever been carried out in the Pacific Northwest. When their milling development is completed, according to official statements, not less than 4000 men will be in the company's employ. The mills that the company will erect on this site here will have a capacity of 600,000,000 feet of lumber a year, or 100,000,000 feet more than the capacity of its 11 big mills now operating in the southern pine district. What this project means in the way of development for Kelso and the surrounding territory can be more readily grasped when it is realized that the Long-Bell company alone will cut approximately as much lumber as all the mills in Portland do at the present time, and almost as much as is cut in the entire Grays Harbor district.

ACQUIRES 6000 ACRES

To carry out this development the company has acquired more than 6000 acres of land adjacent to Kelso for its townsite and millsite purpose, and has also acquired a wide strip of land through West Kelso in the southern pine district. The entire area is protected by modern diking systems, have a project and the diking operation several years, but the Long-Bell company intends to raise the dike seven feet so that it will protect against a flood three feet higher than the '94 water, which was the highest ever recorded on the Columbia, and which killed three 300 years old.

DEEP WATER FRONTAGE

The company has acquired nearly seven miles of deep water frontage on the Columbia river and the first unit of its docking system is under construction. It is a pier 1800 feet long and extending 750 feet into the Columbia river. The Hart Construction company is building this pier and is pushing the work with all possible speed, having three piersiders engaged on the job. Paul Savidge is superintendent for the Hart company.

SEE GREAT GROWTH

It is certain that Kelso and adjoining territory will see a great growth and development in the next few years. Location of the Long-Bell company's municipal development has not yet been disclosed. Indications point to the area known as Peardale, south of West Kelso, as the probable selection, but no definite information has been given out regarding the actual site of the town. It cannot be far from Kelso, however, and ultimately this entire area will become a single community.

JOHN H. STONE

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 12.—John H. Stone, 33, a resident of Spokane for 41 years and founder of many enterprises of the Northwest, died Friday. He was builder of the first cable line in Spokane, constructed the first telegraph line into Spokane and was one of the builders of the Northern Pacific line into the city. He was prominent in the Masonic lodge, being a blue lodge, consistory and Shrine member here and a member of the commandery at Richmond, Va. His wife and a son survive.

HENRY HILLER

Pomeroy, Wash., Aug. 12.—Henry Hiller, 65, native of Germany and land owner and resident of Garfield county for more than 40 years, died Thursday in a Walla Walla hospital from infection caused by a tooth. Three sons and daughters survive.

500 MEN AT WORK

Nearly 500 men are already employed by the Long-Bell company. Included in immediate plans for development is the construction of a railway bridge across the Cowlitz river.

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MOTHER HUGES IN HAVING FOUND SON, LOST 16 YEARS

Joyful Family Reunion at Soap Lake, Wash., When Cecil Lenighen Rejoins Family.

Spokane, Aug. 12.—A family reunion such as has been enacted but a few times in history, and never before, so far as is known, in the Northwest, took place at Soap Lake, Wash., Thursday night when Cecil Lenighen, kidnaped son of Mrs. R. L. Brittan of Soap Lake, met his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cummings, parents of Mrs. Brittan, for the first time.

Following the reunion of mother and son Wednesday after 16 years, during which neither knew of the whereabouts of the other, Mrs. Brittan wired her parents at Touchet, Walla Walla county, to come to Soap Lake to share in her rejoicing.

MOTHER CONVINCED

"There is no doubt but that Cecil Lenighen is my son," Mrs. Brittan stated over the long distance telephone. "The resemblance is so perfect that there can be no mistake. Cecil Lenighen has the same ear on one lip and back of the head, the same color to the little finger on the right hand and the same color hair and eyes as my baby had. Needless to say, I am delighted at finding my boy at this time."

CHUELLY TREATED

Relating his life history, Cecil Lenighen said the Lenighens were extremely cruel to him, whipping him frequently. Finally, when he was 12, he ran away from them and went to San Francisco, where he was taken to Cal. In the telescope grip he took with him, Cecil said he found a sheet of paper giving his name as Cecil Lenighen, his birthplace as Central, Cal., and his date of birth as July 15, 1906.

DISAPPEARANCE OF BRITAN RECALLED BY T. O. WEBSTER

Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 12.—"If the identification marks on the boy found by G. W. Stark in the Davenport hotel in Spokane were as given in press reports, he is probably Cecil Brittan. At any rate, I am convinced enough so that I intend to make a trip to Soap Lake to see the boy."

LAST SEEN IN STORE

"Mrs. Brittan, not more than 10 minutes later, asked me where Cecil was and I told her that he must be at the store, as he was buying some candy when we left. As he had not turned up Mrs. Brittan immediately went to the store and could find no trace of her boy, the groceryman professing ignorance as to which way the lad went when he left his store. Within a half hour the entire population of the summer camp had turned out in a search for the boy, which lasted for days and got no results."

CONVICT REVIVES SEARCH

"Later Frank Breme, a paroled convict from the Washington state penitentiary, who was absolutely familiar with the mountains in Toll Gate region, stated to officers, while being held in the county jail at Spokane, that he could produce Cecil Brittan. The officers quizzed him repeatedly as to his knowledge of this boy. Mr. and Mrs. Brittan were notified and another search was made for the boy in the Blue mountains. Breme was to be pardoned for producing the boy but the search revealed nothing, as Breme said that it was impossible to get Cecil and bring the boy and himself out alive."

"Breme, who claimed to have been in the mountains at the time, stated that the kidnapers had made a mistake in taking the Brittan boy, that it was the young son of the late John M. Smyth of Walla Walla, wealthy hardware merchant, they wanted."

BOY OF 15 KNOWS HOW TO SAVE LIFE

Kenneth Fennell of Portland, who passed difficult test to win Boy Scout merit badges.

BOY SCOUT, 15, PROVES RIGHT TO 2 MERIT BADGES

Kenneth Fennell of Portland Passes Difficult Tests; Executive Recognizes Prowess.

One or more merit badges do not matter greatly with Kenneth Fennell, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fennell, No. 1945 Fremont street and a first-class Scout of crack troop 49 of the Boy Scouts. Therefore, when Scout Executive James E. Brockway pinned two badges on Kenneth, one for the pioneering and one for the lifesaving test, Kenneth took it as a matter of course. His arm sleeve was already full of badges of more or less distinction.



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Unclaimed School Funds Lost, View Of State Official

Olympia, Wash., Aug. 12.—In an opinion to Edward M. Connelly, deputy prosecuting attorney of Pacific county, Assistant Attorney-General O. R. Schumann holds that after consolidation of several school districts is effected the statute allows credit for attendance of 2000 days for each component district, less one, plus the actual attendance of the entire consolidated district.

MRS. NANCY OLIVE HAMER

Centralia, Wash., Aug. 12.—Mrs. Nancy Olive Hamer, 75, resident of Centralia many years, died Thursday. Her husband, H. H. Hamer, and six children survive.

MRS. MARY C. ROSLUND

Centralia, Wash., Aug. 12.—Mrs. Mary C. Roslund died at her home in Independence Wednesday. Two sons and a daughter survive.

LAMPING IS ON TOUR

Aberdeen, Wash., Aug. 12.—Colonel George Lamping of Seattle, out for the job held by United States Senator Miles Polk, making a campaign through Southwest Washington, spoke Friday night here and in Hoquiam.

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| LOT NO. 7 Values Up to 90c Yard 29c Yard In this lot are white madras shirtings, silk mixed shirtings, white fancy flaxon and figured voiles, etc. | LOT NO. 8 Values Up to \$1.75 Yard 49c Yard In this lot are imported dotted Swisses, fancy Swiss organdy, silk and cotton linings, satoon linings, flannel silk and white sport shirtings, etc. |

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