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STEALS IN TOWN AT NIGHT TO LAY TRACK

NORTH COAST ATTEMPTS TO STEAL A MARCH

Kennewick Surprised Saturday Night By Sudden Attempt of Big Crew to Lay Road in Heart of City—Property Owners Get Injunction by Telephone to Stop Work.

Kennewick, Wash., March 1.—This city is in a turmoil of excitement as a result of an attempt by the North Coast railroad to lay tracks on Front street in the heart of the business section Saturday night.

Descending on the town from Klona, Washington, at seven o'clock Saturday night with a force of one hundred men and 35 teams, contractors for the North Coast hurriedly began laying tracks through Front street despite the objections of property owners.

Northern Pacific officials learning of the operations rushed 100 men from Pasco to Kennewick by special train and blocked the effort of the North Coast to cross their tracks at Seventh street.

Injunction Is Secured. Objecting property owners along the street shortly before midnight Saturday secured a temporary injunction, by writ from Superior Judge Holcomb at Prosser, but did not succeed in stopping the work until early this morning, because it was necessary to serve papers on every member of the working force before work was stopped.

Damage suits against the North Coast were filed at Prosser just before midnight Saturday night by attorneys for affected property owners.

This latest move of the North Coast is believed to mean the extension of the line into North Yakima. Franchises for right of way secured three years ago through Kennewick by the North Coast have expired.

Excitement Runs High. Excitement in this city is at a high pitch over the action of the North Coast officials. The contractors in charge of the work last night are Esbaugh Bruce & Co., of Spokane.

A franchise granting the North Coast rights of way down Front street between Washington and Seventh streets was given by the city council here January 3, 1907. Terms of the franchise required that work be commenced within thirty days and that trains be operating within 15 months. Nothing was done until last night when the force from Klona was rushed here and operations commenced over all objections. Superior Judge Holcomb fixed time for hearing the restraining order for March 2 at Prosser.

The contractors in charge of the work here communicated with Robert Strahorn in Spokane when their work was stopped by injunction and it is understood that he agreed willingly to cease operations.

W. M. Saxton, in charge of the material yards of the Strahorn road, said today that "this little work here means the early completion of our line from Attalia to North Yakima." Continuing he said that the North Coast had only about 6000 ties to lay between Attalia and the Columbia river and that these would be put down early in the spring. He predicted that Strahorn would have the road in operation from the Columbia river to North Yakima by April.

AUTHOR BRANDS GOTHAM AS KING OF INSOLENCES

New York.—"We live today in the most insolent city in the world—the city of New York."

F. Hopkinson Smith, the author, eulogizing the chivalry of the "old southern gentleman," before the 700 members of the New York Southern Society in the Hotel Astor, deplored the conditions which he claimed prevailed here today.

"Why one can hardly get a decent answer from a street car conductor, a policeman or an official in New York city," he continued. "I do not mean to be absurd. There are doubtless thousands who are as courteous as one could desire, but it is not now a matter of blood as it is with our people."

"Materialism," he declared, "is rampant. It pervades even our old-time social relations. Now if a man drops into the office of his friend for a moment's chat, he must gossip with a stenographer on one side and a secretary on the other."

"What has become of the old-time chat over the long-necked bottle? Where has the spirit of southern plantation hospitality gone—the admiration and deference and respects for women—the cordial relations between host and hostess? All have passed away for the sake of the dollar."

Saved a Soldier's Life.

Facing death from shot and shell in the civil war was more agreeable to J. A. Stone of Kemp, Tex., than facing it from what doctors said was consumption. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough, that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. I now weigh 178 pounds." For coughs, colds, the grippe, asthma, hemorrhage, hoarseness, croup, whooping cough and lung trouble, it is supreme. 50c, \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Tallman & Co.

MINER FALLS INTO BOWELS OF THE EARTH

Boise, Idaho.—Authentic reports of the horrible death of C. E. Bell, an Idaho miner, who was plunged 1500 feet into the crater of an extinct and isolated volcano near the headwaters of the Bruneau river, 100 miles south of Boise, has reached here, brought in by miners.

The tragedy took place last Monday. Bell and two companions were prospecting at the time. The former outdistanced the two others and reached the crater first. Before his friends could warn him, Bell had started to walk over a bridge of snow at the side of the volcano's mouth. He failed to hear the warnings of his companions, and peered over the edge into the crater. Slipping, he fell headlong with a scream into the volcano in sight of his friends.

A rescue party lowered one of its members 200 feet into the crater by rope. When pulled back the volunteer rescuer reported no sight of Bell and said that the next landing was 400 feet below where he had stopped. Bell is well known in Boise mining circles.

ATTACK VANITIES OF LIFE.

English Churchman on Ostentation and Decay of the Home. London.—The vanities of twentieth century life are attacked in a remarkable book just published, entitled "The Church and Life of Today," written by several bishops and high church dignitaries. Their reverences have been inquiring into certain

phases of modern life, which are considered questionable from a Christian viewpoint.

Among the many phases of our complex modern life thus analyzed are: The week-end party, decay of home life, modern manners, the young man of today, vanity of weddings, ostentation of funerals, charity "functions," church parade, novels and novelists, pernicious pictures, picture postcards, cinematograph shows, demoralizing periodicals, sales catalogues, intemperate women, non-observance of Sunday.

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HAD SWORD HIDDEN IN HIS TROUSERS

New York.—Lorenzo Moraldi limped so pitiously as he moved along Mulberry street near Grand, that Policeman Hayden, who had a kind heart, made sympathetic inquiries as to his affliction, but as he patted Lorenzo on the back his hand hit something hard.

Thereupon he reached inside Lorenzo's vest and drew out a wicked looking sword at least four feet long and sharpened to a razor edge. The weapon had been concealed in Lorenzo's trouser leg, the point at his heel and the hilt reaching to the small of the back.

In the Tombs court, Lorenzo said he'd been on the way to a masquerade ball. Then he told some other story, and was held in \$1500 bail.

An Awful Eruption

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BIG HARVESTER COMBINE INVADES LAND OF CZAR

St. Petersburg.—The United States Harvester company of New York has just purchased a factory near Moscow from the Air Brake company for a price of 1,500,000 roubles. The factory has been idle for some time. The harvester company recently resolved to acquire it and fit it up with the latest American machinery.

The factory, which is one of the largest in Russia, is situated 20 miles southwest of Moscow.

Mr. Burr A. Kennedy has arrived in Moscow to fit up the plant for the Harvester company. He is an expert in machinery and will have under him a number of skilled American workmen from the company's numerous plants in the United States.

Owl Rides Rog Home.

North Yakima, Wash.—When Martin Conway of North Yakima went hunting today he took with him a fine retriever. Three miles from town he shot an owl, breaking one wing. The dog went into the brush after it, but came out a moment later with the owl on its neck and struck out for home, four miles away. The owl rode the dog, through brush and across the river, only to be killed by Mrs. Conway with her kitchen mop, when the journey was ended.

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SOME DETAILS OF "THE GREAT DIVIDE"

No one who desires to encourage the management to bring the best that is going in the way of theatrical entertainment should fail to attend the offering at the Oregon theatre tonight. "The Great Divide" is counted as one of the really great plays of the past few years and presented, as it will be then, by a splendid company, will provide an evening of thorough enjoyment. "The Great Divide" achieved a brilliant success from its very first performance, has broken all records in point of financial success. It ran for more than six hundred performances at the Princess and Daly's theatres, New York City, and was brought back for a return engagement and played to capacity houses.

"The Great Divide" has been correctly termed the "long awaited great American play." The subject treated by Mr. Moody in "The Great Divide" naturally is the best one upon which a vitally interesting play can be written—the mutual love and romance of a man and woman. The vital interest of this play lies in the strikingly original yet thoroughly logical and convincing way in which the theme is treated. The man, Stephen Ghent, the leading male character, is a son of the mountains and plains, a fearless and care-free product of the boundless west. The woman, Ruth Jordan, the heroine of the story, is a daughter of a circumscribed community of an old civilization and culture. These strangely contrasted natures, by that mysterious law of human attraction and repulsion that cannot be explained by words, but which is as fateful as the movement of the universe, are drawn to each other and held together inexorably to the end.

But before their romance and marital relations are adjusted and their lives harmonized, there is a period of intolerance and antipathy representing that evolution of mutual soul-awakening and mental development which forms the heart of Mr. Moody's drama. The settings of the play are singularly appropriate to its subject matter. The first scene represents a modest ranch house in Arizona; the second a plateau—"The roof of the world"—high up in the Cordillera mountains; and the third; the parlor of an old colonial home in Milford Corners, Massachusetts. The splendid scenic investiture and painstaking presentation help to emphasize the keynote of the play—the spirit of the untrammelled west in conflict with the spirit of the established east. The management has provided a carefully selected company to present "The Great Divide" here with the splendid production precisely as given for over 600 nights before leaving New York. The prices will be \$1.50, \$1.00 and 75c.

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