

BONDS ARRIVE AND ARE SIGNED

Central Point Will Soon Receive Actual Coin With Which to Build Their Water System.

(Mail Tribune Special Service.)
CENTRAL POINT, Or., Nov. 10.—The blank bonds for the Central Point water bond issue arrived Saturday from the buyers, S. A. Kean & Co. of Chicago, and were immediately signed by Mayor Leever and Recorder Jones and placed with the Central Point State bank for collection. The bonds are of \$500 denominations and the issue is for \$25,000. The engineers employed by the city are getting out the plans and specifications of the new system as rapidly as possible and it is now expected that the actual construction work will be started within the next two weeks.

This matter has been drawn out for a long time and it is with much satisfaction that the people who have stood faithfully behind the movement can begin to see ahead of them and feel that their work and efforts will not come to naught.

YAKIMA FEARS COAL SCARCITY DURING WINTER

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 10.—Coal is going to be high in this section this winter, and it is not at all unlikely that it will be hard to get. The destruction of the shaft in one of the Roslyn mines a few weeks ago cuts down the output 3500 tons a day, and even when all the mines were running at capacity there was no surplus. There are now three railroads to feed from these coal fields—the Northern Pacific, the Great Northern and the Milwaukee. The Roslyn Fuel company is selling 9000 tons a day to these roads, and that is not sufficient for their use. Owners of a mine at Cle Elum are rushing construction work on a mile of track, which will connect their holdings with the Northern Pacific. Other indications point toward a shortage. Dealers here have received word of an advance of 75 cents a ton in December. The wary householder is filling his coal bin in advance.

CARTER RANCH IN ILLINOIS VALLEY SELLS FOR \$19,000

(Mail Tribune Special Service.)
GRANTS PASS, Or., Nov. 10.—A large real estate deal has just been put through by Captain Yerdin, he having sold the Carter ranch of 700 acres in the Illinois valley to Charles G. Jefferson of North Dakota for \$19,000. The same party also bought the Conger farm, on the Applegate, and the McCabe place.

STATE DEPUTY SIMMONS DUE HERE ON NOV. 12

(Mail Tribune Special Service.)
GRANTS PASS, Or., Nov. 10.—J. W. Simmons, state deputy of the M. W. A., spent this evening visiting the local camp of Woodmen and doing general boosting work for Woodcraft. He is making a general tour of the state and will be in Medford on November 12 and Central Point the 11th to visit the local camps. After the meeting this evening a lunch and smoker was held.

GRANTS PASS COMMERCIAL CLUB TO HOLD HIGH JINKS

(Mail Tribune Special Service.)
GRANTS PASS, Or., Nov. 10.—The Grants Pass Commercial club has sent out several hundred card invitations to its members and friends for a smoker to be held on Wednesday evening, November 10, at its headquarters. The meeting will be strictly informal, no set speeches, and the program includes oysters, clams, wieners, coffee, etc.

Fruit Growers, Take Notice.

The fruit growers of Jackson county and the Rogue River valley are respectfully urged to call on L. B. Warner at his office, 307 and 309 East Seventh, and consult him about free transportation to the city of Chicago via Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane, with stopover privileges. Good for transportation only. Does not include Pullman car accommodations.

The party buying the largest amount of nursery stock this year from L. B. Warner gets free transportation to the above named cities and return upon certain conditions.

L. B. WARNER,
The Pioneer Nurseryman.

MURRY MINE UNDER BOND

Well-Known Property in Willow Springs District Is Bonded by Mining Men.

(Mail Tribune Special Service.)
CENTRAL POINT, Nov. 10.—A slight impetus was given to the mining industry in this locality last week, when the announcement was made that S. H. Murray of this city had bonded the Murray mine in the Willow Springs district to M. O. Womack and associates, who will at once resume operations upon this property. The amount of the bond was not made public, but it is understood to be a goodly sum. The Murray mine is one of the best known properties in this section and it is believed that with practical mining men in control of it, it will be made a big proposition. The ledge carries an average value of \$10 a ton in free milling ore, and is of abnormal size. The new people in control expect to erect a ten-stamp mill on the property just as soon as the preliminary work of opening is done.

Mr. Womack is a practical mining man and has been connected with some of the best properties in the Nevada mining country, as well as in the Klondike.

FEET OF SEA BEASTS.

Their Appearance When the Skin Is Stripped Off.

Of all the feet that I have looked at I know only one more utterly ridiculous than the twisted flipper on which the sea lion props his great bulk in front, and that is the forked fly flap which extends from the bladder part of the same. How can it be worth anything while to carry such an absurd apparatus with it just for the sake of getting out into the air sometimes and pushing oneself about on the ice and being eaten by polar bears? The porpoise has discarded one pair, turned the other into decent fins and recovered a grace and power of motion in water which is not equaled by the greyhound on land. Why have the seals hung back? I believe I know the secret. It is the baby! No one knows where the porpoise and the whale cradle their newborn infants—it is so difficult to pry into the domestic ways of these sea people—but evidently the seals cannot manage it, so they are forced to return to the land when the cares of maternity are on them.

I have called the feet of these sea beasts ridiculous things, and so they are as we see them. But strip off the skin, and, lo, there appears a plain foot, with its five digits, each of several joints, tipped with claws, nowise essentially different, in short, from that with which the toad or frog first set out in a past too distant for our infirm imagination. Admiration itself is paralyzed by a contrivance so simple, so transmutable and so sufficient for every need that time and change could bring.—Strand Magazine.

A Willing Scot.
Denn Ramsay has a story of that border hostility between English and Scots which used to go to halter lengths. A Scottish drover was returning from the south in particularly bad humor with the English, having done poor business, when he saw in Carlisle a notice offering a reward of £50 to any one who would volunteer for the unpopular task of hanging a condemned criminal. Seeing his chance to make up for his bad market and comforting himself with the thought that he was unknown there, he did the job and got his fee. As he was leaving he was taunted as a beggarly Scot, doing for money what no Englishman would. But he answered, with a cheerful grin, "I'll hang ye a' at the price."

Ways to an Untimely End.
The catalogue of the ways and means employed by otherwise sensible people to incur the risk of disease and an untimely end include running to catch trolley cars, breathing rapidly through the mouth instead of deeply through the nose, eating too hastily and overeating, "slouching" instead of standing and walking in an erect attitude, using unnecessary stimulants, falling to exterminate the pestilential housefly, which goes blithely about carrying the germs of disease; sleeping in ill ventilated rooms and failing to protect food from flies and other insects by proper screening.—Philadelphia Press.

Three Tightwads.
Speaking of tightwads, a Texas paper says: It is reported that three of the stingiest men in the state were in town yesterday. One of them will not drink as much water as he wants unless it is from another man's well. The second forbids any of his family from writing anything but a small hand, as it is a waste of ink to make large letters. The third stops his clock at night in order to save wear and tear on the machinery. All of them decline to take their county paper on the ground that it is a terrible strain on their spectacles to read newspapers even in the daytime.

GUARD HOUSE TO TAKE OVERFLOW

Government Grants Request of Spokane to House Men Arrested During War Regarding Free Speech.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 10.—The commanding officer at Fort Wright, the army post near Spokane, is today making arrangements to furnish quarters for members of the Industrial Workers of the World who are arrested and for whom no room is available in the city jail at Spokane. Acting Governor Howell telegraphed the war department yesterday for permission to convey prisoners to the army post, and authority was granted last night.

The city authorities of Spokane requested Acting Governor Howell to detail national guards to assist in guarding the prisoners, but Howell is opposed to this, and unless the presence of national guards is absolutely necessary in handling the situation, he states that he will not order them out. He has wired the mayor at Spokane suggesting that a "bulpen" be established.

The fact that the government has offered quarters for the incarceration of prisoners from Spokane strengthens the belief that the immigration bureau is interesting itself with a view to deporting the foreigners among the industrialists who have not taken out naturalization papers.

Mair Sense.

A Scottish lad had his leg injured at a factory and was treated for some time by the doctor without favorable results.

His mother had great faith in a local bone setter and wanted her son to go to him, but the boy objected, preferring, as he said, the "regular faculty."

Finally, however, he yielded to his mother's persuasions and was taken to the famous bone setter. The leg was duly examined, and it was found necessary to pull it very severely in order "to get the bone in," as the bone setter expressed it.

The patient howled in agony, but at last the bone was "got in," and he was bidden to go home—in a few days he would be all right and could resume work.

"Didn't he do it well?" said the joyous old lady as they started homeward. "Yes, he did, mother," said the lad. "He pulled it well, but ye ken I was na s'p a fool as to gie him the bad leg."—London Tatler.

Feed Scarce.

"This circular describing the Mounting says you can sit at the dinner table and see the beautiful mountain peaks," said the man who contemplated going.

"That is true," replied the one who had been, "and that's just about all you can see."—Yonkers Statesman.

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\$1,000,000 YEAR IN ABERDEEN IS SPENT ON BUILDINGS

ABERDEEN, Wash., Nov. 10.—Practically \$1,000,000 was expended in Aberdeen during the 10 months from January 1 to October 31 for buildings and improvements. This includes the work done by the municipality, by manufacturing and business firms, and by private enterprise. In this total are included the cost of permanent improvement of streets and sewers, which represent an investment of \$250,000; \$30,000 in water pipe extensions, water service and other expenditures of the water department, the rest being of a private nature.

NOTICE.

There will be a special meeting of the stockholders of the Siskiyou Copper & Gold Development company Friday, November 12, at 7:30 p. m. at their office in the Medford hotel, to consider the purchase of additional claims.

M. J. LOVE, President.

Prepaid Railroad Orders.

"Something which is of considerable interest to the public generally and which is perhaps not generally known is in effect between stations of the Southern Pacific company and all points in the United States. By means of this system tickets may be purchased at Medford from any place in the United States and mailed or telegraphed direct to the party wishing to come here. Sleeper accommodations and small amounts of cash in connection with these tickets may also be forwarded at the same

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