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# Salem Woolen Mill Store

## SAY KING MENELIK IS DEAD

[United Press Leased Wire.]  
Rome, June 23.—Reports from Abyssinia state that King Menelik is dead and that Empress Taitu is in charge of the government. The messages say that the king's death is being kept secret, while the empress is organizing the new regime, and making her position secure.  
Officials here are not inclined to believe the report, until it is verified, but it is generally believed that Menelik is in very poor health, if not dead.

## MILLS HAD TO PAY FOR BUTTING IN

[United Press Leased Wire.]  
Olympia, Wash., June 23.—Because D. O. Mills, the San Francisco millionaire, "butted in" when Broker Eugene F. Lawson had a sale of the property of the Black Diamond Coal Mining Company made for a million and a half dollars, the state supreme court has affirmed a judgment in favor of Lawson for \$66,935 commission.  
Lawson had arranged the sale of the property, when Mills gave out the information that this company, of which he was a stockholder, would sell \$400,000 cheaper. Lawson brought suit for recovery of commission and the full amount that would have been derived from his sale but for the interference of Mills.

## EXPLODING LAMP CAUSED HIS DEATH

[United Press Leased Wire.]  
Tacoma, Wash., June 23.—John Sockham, Jr., was burned to death last night in a fire that destroyed the home of Mrs. C. M. Berkeley, at Hillhurst, where she was a guest. Mrs. Berkeley and her two children, Mary, 8 years old, and John, 14, fled from the burning house without injury, and watched the little dwelling go up in flames, believing that their visitor had escaped. The fire was caused by the explosion of an overturning kerosene lamp. Burning oil was thrown about the sitting room by the explosion and Stockham was evidently stunned by the force of the concussion. While Mrs. Berkeley and her children were outdoors, thinking Stockham would follow, he lay unconscious on the floor with the destructive flames eating about his body.  
It was not until the fire had burned itself completely out that Stockham's charred body was found.

## NOTHING THE MATTER WITH HARRIMAN

[United Press Leased Wire.]  
Vienna, June 23.—Dr. Holzknecht, a noted surgeon, is today in possession of an X-ray photograph of E. H. Harriman, the American railroad magnate, who, he says, shows that there is nothing radically wrong with the system of the distinguished patient.  
The surgeon says the photograph corroborates the statement of Prof. Strempell, who is Harriman's physician, that the railroad man is suffering from nothing more than a nervous ailment. For that complaint Harriman will take a prescribed cure. The Harriman party is today spending a few hours at the Semmering, a mountain resort 50 miles from Vienna. The return to the Austrian capital will be made shortly.

## CALIFORNIA SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKES

[United Press Leased Wire.]  
San Francisco, June 23.—Two severe earthquake shocks were felt in Northern California late last night, according to reports received here today. No serious damage was done, but the tremors were of sufficient violence to awaken the people of several towns.  
In both instances the direction was from north to south. The shock at 11:25 p. m. was of 15 seconds duration. The second, felt at 11:49 p. m., was brief.  
The tremors were felt most plainly at Grass Valley and Nevada City, where the frightened people rushed into the streets in fear of disaster. Marysville, Chico and Colfax also were shaken perceptibly, and the people awakened.  
The warmest weather of the season was experienced here yesterday, and it was unusually hot in the early hours of today, while a blue haze hung over the city.  
News of the quakes in the northern part of the state, coupled with the weather here, created a panicky feeling among visitors, who did not know San Francisco's climatic vagaries, but caused no apprehension among the older residents.

**A Basket Social at Christian Church**  
There will be a basket social given by and for the benefit of the Loyal Sons and Daughters of the First Christian church. All are cordially invited. Remember the date, Thursday, June 24.

**When—** The Stomach is Sick  
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**Notice to Contractors.**  
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for work and materials required in the extension of kitchen of building known as dining hall at the Oregon State Insane Asylum Farm, near Salem, Oregon, will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Oregon State Insane Asylum until July 7, 1909, at 3 p. m., at which hour all bids will be opened by the undersigned at the executive chambers, Salem, Oregon, in the presence of the board. All bids must be accompanied by certified check in a sum of not less than ten (10 per cent) per cent of the amount of the bid and made payable to the undersigned. Envelopes containing bids must be sealed and marked "Bids for the Improvement at the Oregon State Insane Asylum Farm." Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of Louis R. Hazeltine, architect, Murphy building, Salem, Oregon, or at the executive chambers, State Capitol, Salem, Oregon. The Board of Trustees of the Oregon State Insane Asylum reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 22d day of June, 1909.  
C. N. McARTHUR,  
Clerk of the Board.  
6-23-7-6d

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**Notice to Contractors.**  
Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Capitol Building Commissioners, at the executive chambers, Salem, Oregon, until July 6, 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., at which hour all bids will be opened by the undersigned for the installation of the floors, general repairs in and about the capitol building and concrete ways and walks. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of at least ten (10) per cent of the amount of the bid; said check to be made payable to the undersigned as a guarantee that the contractor will furnish an approved bond within five days after the awarding of the contract. Envelopes containing bids must be marked "Bids for Repairs to Capitol Building." Plans may be seen at the executive chambers, Salem, Oregon, and at the office of Bennes, Hendricks & Thompson, Portland, Oregon. The Board of Capitol Building Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 17th day of June, 1909.  
C. N. McARTHUR,  
Clerk of the Board.  
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**Proposals for Armory and Drill Hall.**  
Sealed proposals, plainly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope, "Proposals for Armory and Drill Hall Building, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Or.," and addressed to the secretary of the board of regents, E. E. Wilson, at the college office, until 2 o'clock P. M. of June 23, 1909, for the construction and completion of a brick and concrete armory and drill hall building, at Corvallis, Or., in strict accordance with the plans, specifications and instructions to bidders which may be examined at the office of the secretary of the college, and at the office of the architect, Bennes & Hendricks, 67 Labbe building, Portland, Oregon. 6-12-22d

**Looking One's Best.**  
It's a woman's delight to look her best but pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils rob life of joy. Listen! Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; makes the skin soft and velvety. It glorifies the face. Cures Pimples; Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Cracked Lips, Chapped Hands. Try it. Infallible for Piles. 25c at J. C. Perry.

**Bids for Furnishing Supplies for the State Institution for Feeble Minded.**  
Sealed proposals will be received, and are hereby invited, for furnishing the State Institution for Feeble Minded with supplies for the six (6) months ending December 31, 1909. Lists of the required goods will be furnished upon application to the superintendent of the institution. All bids should be sealed and marked on the outside of the envelope "Bids for Supplies for the State Institution for Feeble Minded," and addressed to the undersigned. The bids will be opened in the executive chambers, Salem, Oregon, on Tuesday, July 6, 1909, at 10 a. m., and the Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All goods must be in strict accordance with the samples and in original packages when possible. Goods must be delivered at the State Institution for Feeble Minded.  
Dated Salem, Oregon, this 16th day of June, 1909.  
H. E. BICKERS,  
Superintendent.  
6-18-to 7-5d

**If You Are Worth \$50,000 Don't Read This.**  
This will not interest you if you are worth fifty thousand dollars, but if you are a man of moderate means and cannot afford to employ a physician when you have an attack of diarrhoea, you will be pleased to know that one or two doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will cure it. This remedy has been in use for many years and is thoroughly reliable. Price 25 cents. For sale by all good druggists.

**Notice of Intention to Improve a Portion of Market Street.**  
Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Salem, Oregon, deems it expedient to improve, and proposes to improve, at the expense of the abutting and adjacent property, Market street, in said city from the east line of Liberty street to the west line of Broadway street and from the east line of Broadway street to the west line of 6th street, by grading the roadway of said portion of said street and by placing thereon gravel and crushed rock and rolling the same with a steam roller, all to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council on the 8th day of June, 1909, and now on file in the office of the city recorder and by doing all things required in said plans and specifications, which show an estimate of the cost of said improvement, and are hereby referred to and made a part of this notice.  
Demonstrations may be filed in the manner and within the time provided by law.  
Date of first publication of this notice June 9, 1909.  
By order of the Common Council.  
W. A. MOORES,  
Recorder.  
6-11-11-

**Stomach Troubles.**  
Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at all good druggists.  
The State University has lost one of its ancient crew of professors, and something is liable to happen.  
Foley's Honey and Tar is especially recommended for chronic throat and lung troubles and many sufferers from bronchitis, asthma and consumption have found comfort and relief, by using Foley's Honey and Tar. J. C. Perry.

The Harvard "painless dentists" must be delightful men to meet. College men who give no one a pain.

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WM. McMURRAY, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.

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