## BROKE THE LOCAL RECORD

BOWERS OF TACOMA, WITH 86, WENT OVER THE LINKS.

He Defeated Gifford, Champion of Waverly, and Wright-Finals to Be Played Today.

The feature of the play in the golf tournament on the Waverly links was the victory of S. D. Bowers, of Tacoma. over two local players, P. B. Gifford in the morning, and Allan Wright in the afternoon. Both Gifford and Bowers played in fine form, repeatedly equaling or defeating the bogey record for the holes of the course. Bowers played his usual safe, steady game, relying on the length of his shots and accuracy of his play to win, as his putting was not up to form. At the ninth hole, Bowers had four upon Gifford, and it looked like an easy victory for the Tacoma man. Gifford, however, kept up his steady game, lengthening out his drives and approaches until at the 16th he caught up with Bowers and the score by holes was Gifford made the 16th hole in three, which was one stroke less than the bogey record. Bowers, however, equaled the bogey record for the last two holes of five and four, while Gifford made each in

six, and lost two up.

In the afternoon Bowers defeated Allan Wright eight up, and broke the record. of the links, making the 18 holes in 86 The scores of these two matches by holes follow:

Bowers vs. Gifford. 1 2 2 4 5 6 7 8 9 Total ... 5 4 5 5 6 6 6 5 4 46 ... 5 4 6 6 6 6 7 6 4 48 10 11 32 33 14 15 16 17 18 ... 6 6 5 5 3 5 4 5 4 43 89 ... 4 8 4 4 3 4 3 6 6 42 99 Bowers vs. Wright. Bowers, out...5 5 4 5 5 6 5 5 3-43 wright, out...6 5 5 6 6 6 6 5 4-48 10 21 12 12 14 15 15 17 18 Bowers, in ...3 7 4 5 4 6 4 5 5 43-85 Wright, in ...4 6 5 5 4 6 4 6 6-46-94

Men's Open Championship. The other games of the second round of he men's open championship resulted as Minor won from Langfitt, five up and

four to play.

Macleay won from White, by default.

Adams, of Tacoma, won from Cotton,
four up and three to play.

Walker won from Futcher, one up.

Wright won from Young, eight up and six to play. Bowers, of Tacoma, won from Gifford,

two up. C. E. Ladd won from C. Hunt Lewis, ve up and four to play. Tidmarsh, of Tacoma, won from Whidden, by default.

The match between Futcher and Walk-er was a close contest, Walker winning by one hole and one stroke, In the third round, Minor's eyes trou-bled him and he defaulted to Macleay. The other games resulted as follows:

Adams defeated Walker, three up and two to play. es defeated Wright, eight up. C. E. Ladd defeated Tidmark, one up. The players who will come together this

ning in the semi-finals are as fol-

In the men's driving contest, A. M. Tidmarsh, of Tacoma, won the prize for the longest drive by making 210 yards, 1 forther investigations.

foot and 7 inches. The prize for best average was won by R. L. Macleay, he having made 187 yards, 314 inches, a very creditable performance. His four drives were as follows: 205 yards, 2 feet, 10 inches; 188 yards, 11 inches; 197 yards, 10 inches; 157 yards, 1 foot.

Miss King won the prize in the women's drving contest, sending the ball 102 yards, feet and Il inches. Mrs. Wilson won the prize for the best average, making \$4 yards, 1 foot and 11 inches. Miss King was second with \$3 vards, 2 foot and 4 Both lost one ball, sent out of R. L. Macleay won the daily prize in

approaching with a score of 12. women's prize Miss Sibson and Miss Flanders were tied with a score of 2. Clock golf continued to be a pleasant diversion at the clubhouse. R. R. Reid the daily prize for men, also breaking the record with a score of 17. Miss Booth won the women's prize with a

Today's Contests. Following is the programme of today's contests;

D.A. M. to 4 P. M.-Clock golf. 9:30 to 10:30 A. M .- Men's open champion

10:30 to 11:30 A. M.-Women's open cham 12:30 to 2:30 P. M.-Men's open champlon-

\$2:30 to 2:30 P. M .- Men's open handicap. 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.-Women's open champion-\$:80 to 8:30 P. M .- Women's open handleap.

\$ to 6 P. M.-Men's approaching co hamplonship of Oregon.
4 to 6 P. M.-Women's approaching contest, ship of Oregon. 4 to 6 P. M.-Men's putting contest, cham-

ionship of Oregon. 4 to 0 P. M.—Women's putting contest, champloushly of Oregon.

#### SALE OF BONDS CANCELLED Some Doubt About Council's Author-

ity to Refund Debt.

The Common Council a few days ago opened bids for purchase of \$56,500 of 4 per cent refunding bonds, to be issued in order to take up 6 per cent bonds of the old City of East Portland, which fall due May 1. The highest bid submitted was for accrued interest and 5 per cent pre-mium, offered by Rollins & Sons of Bos-ton, conditioned on the legality of the issue, and the bonds were awarded to

There has been some doubt as to the authority of the Council, under the present charter, to issue the bonds, the highest legal authorities here differing on the Excursion to Fort Canby, the Oregon Rullroad & Navigation Company has departed by the an implied right to issue the bonus, but not legal authority, and the bid was withdrawn and the certified check of Rolpourney to Baker's Bay. This is your last chance to witness this really wonderful chance to witness this really wonderful here. Rollins & Sons, however, offered that if the city would take the necessary legal steps to test the question of the authority of the Council in this matter, and \$1.50. Steamer Nahcotta will leave Assucceeded in having it confirmed, they toria Sunday 2.30 A. M.; returning, leave would take the bonds and bear the cost of the litigation.

not caring to assume the responsibility of deciding this question, an informal meeting of the Council was held yesterday, at which all the members were present. The matter was discussed at some length, and it was finally decided that as the parties now holding the bonds it was intended to refund were very anxious to have them run on, and as there would be a new charter two years hence, and refunding bonds then issued would probably sell for enough over 5 per cent premium to make good the loss in-curred by paying 6 per cent interest till that time, it was deemed best to allow the bonds to remain as they are for the present. A motion to this effect was carried by a unanimous vote.

#### DOG SIDE SHOW.

#### Black and Tan Fox Terriers in a Third-Street Window.

A pair of black and tan fox terriers, a breed of dogs very rare in this re-gion, were on exhibition in the window gion, were on exhibition in the window of the Skidmore drug store and attracted much attention on account of their beauty and also on account of the placard stat-ing what breed of dogs they are and giving their price as \$50 each. The pup-ples are fine specimens of the fox ter-rier as to form, and perfect black and tan as to color, their silky coats and fine markings showing their breeding, the colors passing from jet black to tan without any shading. A few white halrs about some of the toes is the only mark of their been in the bench show had they been old enough. There were none of the breed in the show last year and none this year, and many dog fanciers here have never seen any of the breed. The price named for them is, it is understood, intended to be prohibitory, and it is said they will go to San Francisco for the next bench show there, and thence to New York, and will probably turn out professional prize-winners, as are many dogs exhibited in bench shows which are good for nothing else. The name of the rimary coloring. These dogs would have good for nothing else. The name of the owner of these pupples is not given out, but a person who knows him says he has been a resident of this state for more than 50 years and that for over 25 years he resided in Eastern Oregon, and during all that time owned anywhere from 25 to 50 dogs, all useful working dogs which earned their living. He had a pack of hounds for hunting coyotes, a dozen or more collies, to look after some 12,000 head of sheep, a number of setters and pointers for hunting birds, and "quontum suff." of toy terriers and other house suff," of toy terriers, and other house

pouch. A white fox terrier would be seen at a great distance by the old kangaroo, which would at once rush to the rescue of the young ones. It is a pity that the pupples had not been old enough to be admitted to the bench show, where be admitted to the bench show, where all could have had an opportunity to see

#### CAMPED AT SELLWOOD.

Clark, of Lewis and Clark, Slept There One Night.

The Sellwood Sub-Board of Trade committee on location of the Lewis and Clerk exposition reported that the pros-pects are that it will be shown beyond question that Clark landed and spent one night on the point of land where Sellwood is trying to have the exposition held. A. F. Miller made an interesting statement concerning this matter. He said that according to the history of Madesy vs. Adams.

Bowers vs. C. E. Ladd.

The winners of thee two matches will play the finals in the afternoon for the championship of Oregon.

Women's Matches.

The events for women were followed with interest by the crowd on the course. In the women's open championship, Mrs. Koehler won from Mrs. Snow and Miss King won from Mrs. Wison, Mrs. Koehler and Miss King will meet in the finals tids afternoon.

The women's handicap foursomes were won by Mrs. Shepard and Miss Fianders, gross score 64, handicap 8, net 56. They were closely pressed by Mrs. Koehler and Miss Sibson with 65 gross, 8 handicap Miss Sibson with 65 gross, 8 handicap at the concerning this matter. He bit add that according to the history of Dr. Coues, Clark came up the Williamtite to a point that is now known as City View Park, where there was a great wapato lake, an Indian camp, and remained there one night in an old log scabin. The next morning he went up the round there miles and then returned to the Columbia River. Mr. Miller said that he had lived here 50 years, and he remembers very distinctly of having seen the was a boy at this point.

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The driving Contests.

The driving contests in the afternoon were among the most interesting events on the links. Each player was allowed four balls. The course was allowed four balls. The course was 40 yards wide, and the carry 100 yards. The driving place was near the clubhouse, and the course was near the clubhouse, and the four the links. Each player was allowed four balls. The course was 40 yards wide, and the carry 100 yards. The driving contest in the men's driving contest in the men's driving contest in the men's driving contest in the first in the men's driving contest in the curre was allowed four balls. The course was 40 yards wide, and that as she was the said of the said she had no doubt she would be able to the course was 40 yards wide.

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## BONUS OF \$2365 RAISED.

Sellwood Is Striving to Get the New

At a meeting of the Sellwood Sub-Board of Trade held last night in Camp-bell's Hall, A. N. Wille, of the commit-tee on location of mills and factories, made a report to the effect that he had good reason for believing the proposed Portland woolen mili would be located on Johnson Creek, on the old Shindler factory site or on the grounds of Richard Scott. The matter, he said, would soon be set-tled, and at the next meeting of the board it would be known where the mill would go. J. M. Nickum, of the committee on bonus for the woolen mill, or any factory that would come, reported the following donations to the fund: J. M. Nickum, \$100; D. M. Donaugh, \$50;

E. H. Bauer, \$30; J. A. Miller, \$25; A. Magers, \$50; J. Ennes, \$100; L. H. Andrews, \$25; D. T. Sherrett, \$10; E. B. Madden, \$10; A. N. Wills, \$50; Sellwood Real Estate Investment Company (70) land), \$1200; F. C. Sellwood, \$10; A. H. Wallberg, \$20; J. G. Wilhelm, \$50; A. D. Keenan, \$50; Ira Burley, \$10; A. Buehigger, \$25; John J. Sellwood, \$10; W. E. Wills, \$25; John Rebstack, \$25; E. Cole. \$15; B. F. Smith, \$50; H. S. Upham, \$10; C. Grorich, \$10; J. Kaschtzgy, \$15; Willsburg, \$350. Total, \$2365. About double this amount is considered certain, as many have not yet been seen,

#### WILL PLAY IN SEATTLE. Multnomah Ladies' Basket-Ball Team Will Meet High School.

The Multnomah ladles' basket-ball team left last night for Seattle, where the Seattle High School players will be met this evening. Great interest is being taken in the game in Seattle, and the local players anticipate a hard contest in order to maintain their continuous record of

The players will line up as follows: Miss M. Murphy and Miss Lanyon, for-wards; Miss D. Zimmerman, center; Miss K. Lawler, guard; Miss L. Birch or Miss S. Knight, guard. Accompanying the girls were Mrs. Fos ter, chaperon; Charles York and Brant Wickersham, umpires, and Le Conie Stiles.

#### LAST CHANCE FOR LIGHTSHIP

Don't miss it. The expense is a trifle. Portland to Fort Canby and re-turn to Astoria, \$1.25; return to Portland, Fort Canby 3:30, touching at Ilwaco both directions, arriving Astoria 5:30 P. M. No delay, tide will be high. Take the "Has-salo" Saturday, 10 P. M., Ash street dock.

The healing properties of Greve's Otntment

## **KEEPTHE RESERVE INTACT**

THIS IS PORTLAND'S STAND CON-CERNING BULL RUN.

Chairman of Water Committee Writes to Authorities at Washington on the Subject.

The water committee, and indeed the whole City of Portland, is anxious to protect the city's water supply whose source is preserved by the Bull Run reservation. In Washington, the United States Geological Survey, unfamiliar with conditions out here, wish to cut "fire lanes" through the reserve so that the fire departments of Portland, Oregon City or The Dalles could have easy ac-cess in case of fire, with a view of ex-tinguishing it. What Portland desires is that the reserve be left just as it is. There has been correspondence on the subject and at the last meeting of the water committee the chairman was asked to set forth Portland's views to the authorities at Washington. He therefore, sent the following letter:

fires cannot be stopped if they once gather fires cannot be stopped if they once gather headway."

I cannot, however, agree with you in thinking that "such fires can be prevented from spreading by the construction of fire lanes, with trails or roads connecting them to enable men to reach threatened points."

Such lanes may answer in some forests, but unless of great width they would not stop

unless of great width they would not stop fires in the forests of this region. The Bull Run reserve is triangular in shape, each side being about 20 miles in length. Its

area is 222 square miles. The east side, ad-joining the Cascade reserve, extends north and south along the summit of the Cascade range, with an average elevation of 5000 feet dogs.

The black and tan fox terrier is found in Scotland and Edgland, but is not common anywhere. It plays a peculiar part in Australia and New Zealand, where it is used to hunt up and drag out young kangaroos, which have been hidden away by the old ones after they are too large to be any longer carried in the marsuplal pouch. A white fox terrier would be seen. The reserve, sloping rapidly towards the west, as the above figures show, is traversed by numerous deep and often impassable can-yons. It is covered everywhere, except on rocky

points, with a dense forest of fir, spruce, hem-lock and codar trees, which average 100 feet in height and three feet in diameter, and which are often double that size. The ground is almost everywhere obstructed with fallen timber, thick undergrowth and briers.

The mass of inflammable material is enormous, and during Summer, when there is little or no rain, a lighted match or sparks from a or no rain, a lighted match or sparks from a pipe failing upon it might start a fire which would destroy the entire forest and seriously injure our water supply. A fire would spread rapidly, and be carried over any fire lanes which it would be possible to construct, by sparks and cinders borne by the wind which always accompanies our forest fires. The only way to protect this reserve from

The only way to protect this reserve from fire is to keep everybody out of it. It is sur-rounded by natural barriers, and its inaccessi-bility is its best enfeguard.

The reserve is a rugged wilderness, impassable for a horse, and difficult for man to pene-trate. There is not a habitation, pasture or road on the watershed of the river above the point where the water for the city is taken out. If it was possible to cut fire lanes, roads and trails, they would be obstructed by the severe storms which sweep over the Cascade Mountains every Winter.

On the east side there is but one pass over On the east side there is but one pass over the mountains, and that is guarded by a forest ranger. On both the northwest and south-west sides the sides of the divides, sloping away from the Buil Run basin, have been mostly burned over, so there is but little dan-ger of fire coming into the reserve from with-out. Forest rangers patrol these sides con-stantly during the Summer, and warn all per-vons who proposes to enter the reserve of the

serve, and the Secretary of the Interior will be informed of all the facts concerning the mat-ter, and asked to recommend the passage of

After reflecting upon the foregoing description of the reserve, I hope you will agree with us in thinking that nothing should be done to facilitate ingress to this reserve, and that you

will comply with the request that he survey and map be made of it. We believe that such survey and map and the construction of fire lanes, reads and trails would induce many persons who desire to obtain timber lands to petition for the reduc-tion of the area of this reservation, and we think that the interests of this community, which is dependent upon the preservation of the forest for the protection of the water sup-ply, should be considered, and that all pos-sible safeguards should be thrown around this reservation, which was created at the request

of this city for that special purpose.

The more dense the forest, the more will the moisture be preserved, the danger of fire lessened, and the water supply of our city protected. Very respectfully.

H. W. CORBETT, Chairman Water Committee.

## COMING ATTRACTIONS.

La Loie Fuller.

It has been many years since La Loie Fuller, the famous dancer, undertaking the fatiguing trip across the continent, visited this Coast. In the meantime, she has become even a greater celebrity than ever before. Since her last visit here she has hobnobbed with the royalty of Europe with greater frequency than has been the good fortune of any of the other stage favorites. In her forthcoming appearance here, a vast improvement will be notice-able in the performance. Not only has she improved her original creations, but she has produced some startling new ones that have been the sensation of two const. nents, La Loie's latest creations, "The Tempest" and "The Arch Angel," are said to be the most marvelous spectacular dances that have ever been produced. She will appear at the Marquam on Monday and Tuesday next, in conjunction with her own company, numbering 90 high-class The sale of seats opened yesterday (Friday) morning, and are selling rapidly.

"The Widow Bedott."

At the Metropolitan Theater, commen-cing tomorrow (Sunday) evening, "Widow Bedott" will be the attraction for the week. It is a farcical comedy, constructed for laughing purposes only, but unlike most plays in its class, it having a welldefined plot, a beautiful story told in three acts. Mr. Ewing, in the character of the Widow, with her many gushing smiles and amusing eccentricities, has achieved the crowning triumph of his life. His intered, which includes Guy Tully, Edward Clisbee, Clarence Lyndon, Dave Swim, Miss Madge Tucker, Miss Alice Wren. Miss Olive Vail and others. "Widow Bedott" will be presented each evening dur-ing the week and for matinee Saturday.

"The Strollers" at Cordray's. "The Strollers" company, under the direction of Crosby & Forman will open for

a week's engagement at Cordray's Theater, Sunday, April 21, with the usual Saturday matinee It is not often that the theater-going commend its use for all skin afflictions.

Parker's Hair Balsam aids the hair growth.

people of Portland have an opportunity of seeing refined vaudeville, which has be-

come so popular not only in London and Paris, but in the larger cities of America. One has only to visit New York, Chicago, Box ar any of the large Eastern cities. to see what a strong hold vaudeville has upon the theater-goers. The Eastern houses are packed nightly, and Portland should, and doubtless will, give this strong organization the same support they have received throughout the country. Refined vaudeville is seldom seen on the

Coast, outside of the Orpheum theaters, in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and it is sufficient proof of the standing of "The Strollers" when it is said that most of their acts made pronounced hits at both these places, and now that these several acts are under one head, a splendid performance is sure to result.

#### Blanche Walsh

The Portland playgoers will see a new Josephine at the Marquam, April 25, 26 and 27. Advance notices say she is both brilliant and beautiful. The latter assertion is granted without question; there is very little doubt regarding her brilliancy. The new Josephine is Miss Blanche Walsh. She is portraying the role in Emile Bergerat's "More Than Queen." Those who have seen Miss Walsh in the Sardou roles must feel assured of her ability to be a Josephine true to traditions. It is claimed for her that she has achieved a greater measure of success in this role than in any other she has previously enacted. What she has heretofore lacked was opportunity. She has found that in the Jo-sephine of "More Than Queen," and has rsien equal to the demand. Messrs. Stern and Brooks have given her an elaborate scenic environment and surrounded her with a competent company of players. Among them are: William Humphrey, as Napoleon; Robert Lowe, Frank Sheridan, Ogden Stevens, Ellis Ryse, Katherine Clinton, Helen Singer, Elizabeth Mayhew, Kate Power and Emily Baker.

#### DAY IN THE COURTS.

Probate Court.

Susie W. Smith, administratrix of the estate of her husband, Preston C. Smith, deceased, has petitioned the County Court to have her dower in certain property assigned. She states that the Tabernacle building property, lots 7 and 8 and west half of lots 1 and 2, block 102, Portland, and lot 3, Park block 1, were mortgaged to the Security Savings Bank of San Francisco, which foreclosed the mortgage, amounting to \$23,156. The Supreme Court it is asserted, reversed the decree so far as it undertook to foreclose her dower interest, but held that the power of at-torney held by Preston C. Smith was sufficient to authorize him to borrow the money and sign her name to the note. Charles E. Ledd, W. F. Burrell, T. B. Wilcox and John McCraken were suretles on the appeal bond, and hold a lien on her dower. The Security Savings Bank, it is alleged, to facilitate the sale of the property, is willing to have her dower as-signed to her to attach to one or more parcels of the properties, and the others are also willing, in order that the other pieces may be sold to advantage free of dower. There are other unsecured claims against the estate amounting to \$42,000. Clara A. Fechheimer and other heirs of the estate of M. W. Fechheimer, deceased, yesterday filed a claim against the estate of J. W. Whalley, deceased, the estate of J. W. Whalley, deceased, for \$377, on account of repairs made to the Casino Theater, now Cordray's, in January, 1897. The parties were joint owners of the property, and the total cost of the repairs was \$1131, which it is said was advanced by the Fechheimer estate. tate.

Divorce Cases. T. F. Smith, a colored man who formerly preached the gospel, was divorced from Carrie Smith by Judge George yes-terday. Smith testified that his duties called him away from home, and that one Henry Molton associated with his wife during his absence. He tried to persuade

15 years, and that while they lived together he often cursed and abused her, and finally abandoned her, and failed to They were married in 1867. provide. Mnude E. Watts, who has sued her hus-band, Moses A. Watts, for a divorce, has filed an affidavit and motion, asking why the defendant does not comply with the order of court to pay \$75 fees for her attorney and \$50 for her support. requests a further allowance of \$20 for witnesses, and says her husband can raise the money by mortgaging his property, valued at \$5000.

Fined for Writing Something M. Brozio, against whom the United States Grand Jury found a true bill on an indictment charging him with sending years. a plea of guilty. He was fined \$25, which be paid. It was intimated that Mr. Brozio could have proved the truthfulness of the statements made on the postal card, but as that would have been no palliation of his offense, no evidence was offered on people without any serious damage being done.

Decisions Today. Judge Cleland will announce decisions

this morning at 9:20 o'clock in the follow ing cases: W. A. Blake vs. James Newlands, mo tion that certain costs be not allowed. Ellis G. Hughes vs. Charles E. Ladd et demurrer to answer of Charles E.

J. C. Roberts vs. Nancy Hanson et al. demurrer to answer of Isabelle Dennison A. W. Moudy vs. Eliza Darling, et al. on merits.

Petition in Bankrupter. R. M. Riner, of Portland, contractor, yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court. His liabilities amount to about \$4000 and his assets to about \$3000.

Attempted Hold-Up.

A daring attempt at highway robbery occurred about 12:20 o'clock this morning, at Ninth and Couch streets. Two men wearing slouch hats, were seen to stea behind a third man, and start to choke him. Then one of the robbers tried to go through his victim's pockets, when the victim yelled: "Gentlemen, please don't kill me." At this cry, Dr. Louis Buck, who lives in that neighborhood his window, and the robbers took fright and ran away. The victim ran in the opposite direction.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK! Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried he new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about % as much. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.

#### BUSINESS ITEMS.

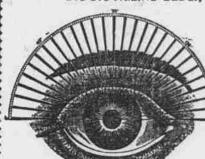
If Baby Is Cutting Teeth. Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and diarrhoea.

After dinner take one of Carter's Little Liver Pills and you will be free from sour rising of food from the stomach. Try them and be convinced.



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# WORK OF THE Y. M. C. A. the habits and moral characteristics with young men it employs and deals with No other agency will do so much for it in this direction as the Y. M. C. A.

of a call.

WHAT IT IS DOING AND WHAT IT PROPOSES TO DO.

Rensons Why the Public Is Asked to Contribute Liberally Toward New Building Fund.

The Young Men's Christian Association is now before the public asking for a large subscription wherewith to continue its work on the scale which the friends of the association believe to be fitting and proper. In order that the work of the institution may be thoroughly understood, a gentleman who is deeply interested in and well informed concerning its work yesterday made the following statement of what the association is, what it is doing, and what it proposes

to do: The association owns the quarter block at Fourth and Yamhlil streets with the building thereon, estimated as worth \$75, 000, and other real property in the city estimated at \$400; against which it ower on mortgage \$25 000 and on floating in debtedness about \$800 more

"Its financial affairs have been exceed ingly well managed for the past four All current bills have through the mail a postal card having promptly met. The income last year expressions calculated to reflect on the character of another, yesterday appeared in the United States Court and entered a pies of guilty. He was fined \$25, which he naid It was introduced that Break institution to maintain the work. "The work carried on aims at the all-

round development of young men-men-tally, morally and physically. The gymnasium classes have an enrollment of 546. The splendid gymnasium is thronged this point. It is an old saying that the during class hours every day. Two paid truth is not to be spoken at all times. It physical directors are employed, and might, however, be spoken oftener by twelve men are serving without pay as class leaders. The educational work is the depart-

ment of which the association in city has most reason to be proud. For the current year 266 different students were enrolled in the night classes. Thirty-seven classes were taught with 18 teachers. Portland stands forty-third in population among the cities of this country, but there are only 22 cities in the with a larger Y. M. C. A. membership, and only 11 with a larger membership enrolled in educational classes. On the other hand, there are 66 associations with a better building and equipment "The religious and moral work cannot

be summarized in any statistical way. The whole bearing of the association's influence in every department is for the moral and religious good of those who come under its influence. Religious meeting have been held every week during the past year, with an average attendance of 125; five Bible classes were maintained; and 118 young men were led to take a institution accomplishes. It has a con-servative moral power over the life of every young man who comes under its influence. It is an outgrowth of city life, and is admirably adapted to the city. It solves for a host of young men the important problem of the best use of leisure hours. Its methods are especially effective in reaching one class who most need its help-the great number who are boarding away from the conservative and prudent restraints of home. Its wholesome attractions and harmless amusements, and the influence exerted simply through the fact of membership,

lines, it adds thousands of dollars to food. It does not narcotize and tear the earning capacity of the young men down. It is frequently misjudged on of this city. By its work in body-build- first trial, because of improper preparaing, the health and physical standard of the community will be raised. The difference in value to the city between young men who drift into evil habits and uselessness, and become a drag and a dead tract the food value and flavor.

Weight to the community, and those who There are those who are entirely care weight to the community, and those who are entirely care-are held under the influence of such an less as to what goes into the stomach, but institution while their habits are formed, the one who would make all his move-and they are trained to usefulness and re-sponsibility, is beyond compute. It pays greatness cannot afford to risk adulterthe business community to look out for ated food or drink or even coffee

to our already up-te-date testing-room, and we respectfully solicit the favor DR. E. M. DALLAS. 

> "The work in Portland comes nearer to being self-supporting than that of any other association in the country. But such a work, of absolute necessity, cannot be self-supporting. Membership fees would necessarily be so high as to exclude the young men who need the association most and for whom it is especially organized. An exclusive club would be the result, rather than an organization for the help of young men. The assofor the help of young men. The asso-ciation is a public institution, and in the nature of things, support is implied. Furthermore, the community ought to have, and in so far as it contributes to it it will have, a general/interest in the institution. Its helpers become its friends,

and they use their influence to get young men into its membership. The canvass now under way is to raise \$45,000 which will put the institution out of debt and give it a building and equip-ment up to the absolute demand of the present membership.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC BASEBALL Rishon Scott and Portland Academy

Nines Will Play Today. The second of the interscholastic league baseball games will be played today between the Bishop Scott and Port-land Academy teams. The game will take place on the Multnomah Field at 2 P. M. This will be the first league game played by the Portland Academy team this season. Williams will be in the box for the Academy nine, and Ross and Mar-tin for the Bishop Scott Academy team. Morris Whitehouse, of the M. A. A.

C., will umpire. The line-up folio P. A. Position. B. B. S. A. .1B .....Westbrook Stillman .. Adams ..... Hughes ..... SS ...(capt.) Ho LF ......W. RF ......Hend Gowanlock .....

#### TO PASS THE CROWD. All Cannot Be Brilliant, No Matter How Healthy.

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, April 19.-8 P. M .- Maximum temperature, 60; minimum temperature, 46; river reading at 11 A. M., 7.0 feet; change in the past 24 hours, 6.3 foot; total precipita-tion, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., trace; total precipita-tion since Sept. 1, 1990, 37.31 mches; nermal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1980, 40 41 inches; deficiency, 3.12 inches; total sunshine April 18, 7:07; possible sunshine April 18, WEATHER CONDITIONS.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.
Unsettled, cloudy weather prevails in the
North Pacific States, and rain has set in
along the Washington Coast and spread inland
to the Sound country. It is decidedly warmer in Southern Idaho, but elsewhere the tempature changes have been small and unit ant. The indications are for cloudy we with showers, in this district Saturday,

WEATHER FORECASTS. Porecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours miding at midnight Saturday, April 20: Portland and vicinity - Showers; variable Oregon, Washington and Idaho - Showers; winds mostly southerly.

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