AMUSEMENTS.

RQUAM GRAND—CALVIN HEILIG, Mgr. ...turday, Jan. 17, Matinee and Evening. Return of JAMES-KIDDER-HANFORD. ...pecial Matinee Saturday, "THE RIVALS." ...urday night, "MACBETH." ...vening Prices—Lower floor, except last 3 ... $1.00; lower floor, last 3 rows, $1; bal... first 2 rows, $1; balcony, second 3 rows, ... balcony, last 6 rows, 50c; gallery, 25c. ...eats now selling. ...atinee Prices—Lower floor, $1; balcony, first ...ows, 75c; balcony, last 6 rows, 50c; gallery,

...RDRAY'S THEATER— ...e Week, Commencing Sunday, Feb. 18. Mat...ee Saturday. First Time Ever at Popular Prices, the Greatest of All Comedies. "TOO MUCH JOHNSON," ...y William Gillette, author of "Secret Serv...," "Sherlock Holmes," "Held by the En...y," "The Private Secretary," etc. ...e nights in New York, 100 nights in Boston, ... nights in London, England, etc. ...he large audience was in a roar of laughter ... entire evening.—New York Herald. ...o one stops to breathe on the stage or in the ...ience while the curtain is up.—New York ...mmercial Advertiser. ...sual prices.

...RDRAY'S THEATER— "ERIN GO BRAGH," ...mpany that stands par-excellence in Irish Dramas. THE MOORE-ROBERTS CO. THE MOORE-ROBERTS CO. ...hursday, Friday, Saturday Matinee and ...urday evening, Boucicault's great play,

"ARRA-NA-POGUE."

...orrect costumes. Special scenery. Strong ...t. USUAL PRICES.

NEW TODAY.

...RTGAGE LOANS, PRIVATE FUNDS, IN ...ms to suit; large or small; on city and ...arm property, at lowest rates. M. G. Griffin, ...gent, 214 Commercial block.

...GO, TAPIOCA, SPLIT PEAS, PEARL BAR...y, cornstarch, gloss starch and dried green ...eas, 5c per pound. At McKinnon Grocery ...., 173 Third st.

...ORE TO LEASE—CHOICE LOCATION, ON ...orrison st. By Parrish & Watkins.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

...00 — BUSINESS PROPERTY, ALBINA; ...ne brick improvement; paying over 10 per ...ent net; owner got Nome fever. Hart Land ...o., room 7 Sherlock building.

...O BARGAINS, WEST SIDE RESIDENCE ...roperty, well located; 9-room house, $3250. ... rooms and 50x100, lot, $2000. Davidson, ...ard & Co., 272½ Stark st.

..., CASH DOWN—A 6-ROOM HOUSE AND ...t 50x100; 150 feet from car line, in Monta...illa, title perfect. A. Matteson, 182½ Madi...on st.

...00—17 LOTS READY TO BUILD ON, IN ...eighborhood of new furniture factory; good ...treet to them. Miller, 305 Chamber of Com.

...X100, WITH 7-ROOM HOUSE, IN S... ...ood, for sale at a sacrifice. William Reid, ...ttorney, 223 Abington building.

...CHANGE — NICKEL-IN-SLOT GRAPHO...hone, with 30 records, for bicycle or type...riter. R., box 414, city.

...use and lot, built to suit, installments; small ...ash payments. Call forenoons, Dammeier, ...11 Marquam.

...acres in Cowlitz county, with 10 head cattle; ... snap. G. Debritz, room 4, Mulkey bldg.

...R SALE OR EXCHANGE—Well-improved ...anch. H. B. Compson & Co., 618 Marquam.

...ST BUY IN CITY—Fine home, W. Side, Nob ...ill. Laidlaw, 303 Chamber of Commerce.

...TEREST - PAYING ¼ BLOCK, NORTH ...ortland, a bargain. Hoelbing, 250 Stark.

FOR SALE—FARMS.

...ARM OF 57 ACRES, 16 MILES SOUTHEAST ...rom Portland; one two-horse wagon, 64 ...wether lambs, one Jersey bull, one yearling ...teer, six pigs; farming implements and house...old furniture. If not sold in 30 days will ...ent. A good home, dirt cheap. N. F. Nelson, ...regon City.

...PROVED FARMS FOR SALE IN ALL ...arts of Oregon and Washington; payments ...ade to suit purchasers. For full particulars ...s to various properties, apply to Macmaster ...Birrell, 311 Worcester block.

...proved farm, 160 acres, 10 miles from Port...and; 20 acres in hops. Drawer 17, Portland.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

...ARGAINS IN SEVERAL SECOND - HAND ...nd slightly used pianos this week at Eilers ...iano House: Whitney $218, Steinway $185, ...ecker Brothers $200, Kimball $248, Emerson ...165, Jennings & Son $80, E. Gabler & ...rother $85, Hardman $185, Cable $150. Terms ...ash or $20 down and $6, $8 or $10 monthly. ...07 First st., between Washington and Stark.

...OLFILINE, SOLFILINE, SOLFILINE. ... Everyone needs it. Preserves leather; abso...utely waterproof; shoes, harness and belting ...reated with Solfiline prolongs life of leather ...00 per cent. Insist upon your dealer carry...ng it. Henry Miller & Co., 302½ Washington ...t., Portland, Or.

...adam's Microbe Killer, positively cures diph...theria, all throat troubles, blood and skin dis...eases, rheumatism, cancer, catarrh; also cures ...a grippe, colds and lung trouble. Call at 360 ...orrison for descriptive pamphlet and sample.

...R SALE—2 BUTCHER CARTS, SAUSAGE ...tuffer, lard press, chopping machine, dial ...cales, etc.; dirt cheap. Apply Waldemar ...eton, attorney-at-law, Commercial building, ...econd and Washington, room 302.

...OR SALE—LEWIS & DRYDEN MAP OF ...ity of Portland and vicinity; suitable for ...eal estate office; size 7x8. 581 Fourth.

...ENERAL STORE; STOCK, $3000; DAILY ...ales, $35; in best mining camp in Southern ...regon. Address P. O. box 436, city.

...R SALE—10-HORSE TRACTION ENGINE, ...eparator and cookhouse; bargain if sold soon. ...ddress Wm. Nickell, Amity, Or.

...R SALE, CHEAP—CITY MILK ROUTE ...nd dairy; not far from city. Address J 11, ...are Oregonian.

...R SALE—TWO FRESH MILCH COWS, ...ith calf. Inquire butcher shop, Sellwood, ...r.

...agic lanterns, new, second-hand, moving pic...ures. Bullard & Breck, 131 Post, San Fran.

... FOR A NEW GAS COOKER; $2 CASH, ...alance $2 per month. Gas Co., 174 Fifth st.

...R SALE OR TRADE—20 HORSE-POWER ...ngine and boiler. McPherson, Gilman hotel.

...RIGS, 300 SETS HARNESS, 50 SADDLES, ...nd good horses, bargains. 211 Washington st.

...everal head horses, 3 delivery wagons, top ...uggy, double and single harness, 7th & Stark.

... Linnman, high-grade ladies' tailoring; fit ...uaranteed. Ore. tel. Hood 976. Russel bldg.

...R SALE—GOOD GOOSE-NECK TRUCK. O. ...R. Addition, Electric roller mills, Portland, Or.

...ABY CARRIAGE, IN GOOD CONDITION. ...ddress Sylvester, care Oregonian.

...R SALE — A 1000-POUND LIFT, HAND ...levator. Apply 281 Morrison.

... NEW BOX COUCHES FOR SALE AT ...alf price. 399 Sixth street.

Pianos.

...HERMAN, CLAY & CO., ROOMS 16 AND 17 ...Russel building, cor. Fourth and Morrison. ...Steinway & Sons, A. B. Chase and Emerson ...pianos. A. B. Chase and W. W. Putnam or...gans. Cash or installments. Gramophones and ...Reginas, music boxes.

...ULE BROS., EXPERT TUNERS, 107 FIRST ... Phones ... Piano House.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

... YOU CONTEMPLATE LEARNING SHORT...hand or have failed in some other system, ...come and investigate the Pernin. Can be ...learned in one-third the time of Pitmanic ...systems. No shading; no position; few word...signs; connective vowels; no failures. Book...keeping taught. Pernin Shorthand School, 311 ...Oregonian; H. W. Behnke, Prin.

...A PATTERN-MAKER, $3.25; MEN AND ...teams, R. R., $4.50, etc.; 6 teams, logging ...camp, $1.25 and feed; cutworkers, $35 and ...board; laborers, $1 and board; shingle-bolt ...cutters, $1 cord; man and wife, ranch, $25 to ...$40; 2 farm hands, E. O., $25 and board; log...gers, $2 up; other work. Canadian Agency, ...226½ Morrison.

...CIVIL ENGINEER — WANTED, A YOUNG ...man capable of running a level. Morris & ...Whitehead, Bankers, room 6 Chamber of Com...merce.

...BRIGHT SALESMAN TO HANDLE OUR ...ustless floor brush; greatest seller out. West...ern Supply Co., 7½ First st., Portland, Or.

...ALESMEN—To sell office specialties. Fine side ...lines. Used by all merchants. Catalogue ...free. Model Mfg. Co., South Bend, Ind.

...WANTED—GOOD, BRIGHT BOY TO LEARN ...baker's trade; board and small wages on ...start. Q 17, care Oregonian.

... GOOD, SOBER TINNER, PLUMBER AND ...general job workman; steady work. C. O. ...Hodson, McMinnville, Or.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

MAN—TO TEND OFFICE, 9 A. M. TO 5 P. M.; will pay $10 weekly; must have $25 cash. Room 2, 43½ 3d st.

Cash for acceptable ideas. State if patented. Address THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md.

Workingman's Barber Shop; haircut 15c, shave 10c; 6 chairs. Ed Dennison, 205 Morrison st.

WANTED—300 MEN TO TRY THE BEST 5c shave and 10c haircut, at 27½ North Second.

WANTED—A YOUNG JAPANESE BOY TO assist light housework. 692 Hoyt st.

WANTED — ADVERTISING SOLICITOR. Farmer, 122 Front, upstairs.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

SHIRT POLISHER (MACHINE); SHIRT IRONer; starcher, good wages; cook, country, $20; A1 second girl, $20; no end of housework, $10 to $20. Canadian Agency, 226½ Morrison.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER able to take dictation correctly at 75 words per minute. Remington No. 7, hardware business; salary $50. B 18, care Oregonian.

GIRL — TO ASSIST IN HOUSEWORK. 869 Savier st.

SITUATION WANTED—MALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

POSITION IS NEEDED BY A YOUNG MAN of business experience and ability; understands office and outside work thoroughly. Highest references. Satisfaction guaranteed. R 13, care Oregonian.

SITUATION WANTED — BY REGISTERED druggist. Address B., 625 First st.

Miscellaneous.

GOOD JAPANESE BOY WANTS SITUATION to do cooking, general housework, for family. Address 104 North Seventh st.

JAPANESE BOY WANTS POSITION TO work as second cook in hotel or boarding-house. E 18, care Oregonian.

BOY WANTS POSITION, ATTEND SCHOOL and work spare time for board and room. B 18, care Oregonian.

SITUATION WANTED—FEMALE.

Stenographers and Typewriters.

EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER, FAMILiar with office work, desires afternoon employment; city references. Y 14, care Oregonian.

POSITION WANTED — BY A COMPETENT young lady stenographer; can give good references. T 14, care Oregonian.

Domestics

A YOUNG GIRL WANTS POSITION TO work in morning and evening and attend Harrison school. V 18, care Oregonian.

DO YOU WANT DOMESTICS? OUR OFFICE is filled with them daily. Phone us. Canadian Emp. Agency, 226½ Morrison.

YOUNG LADY WISHES GENERAL HOUSEwork in small family; experienced. Address X 13, care Oregonian.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GIRL, TO DO housework; speaks German and English. 330 Taylor.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—NAME AND ADDRESS OF ALL persons interested in cremation; handsome souvenir pamphlet mailed free. Address Frank B. Gibson, 205 Stark st., room 10, Portland, Or.

IF YOU HAVE GOOD, SOUND POTATOES or onions to sell for cash, address Crabb & Gifford, 202 Washington st.

WANTED—FOR SPOT CASH; GOOD NO. 6 OR No. 7 Remington or late Jewett. N 17, care Oregonian.

BEST PRICES PAID FOR ALL KINDS OF household goods. 388 6th st. Phone Brown 602.

FOR RENT.

Rooms.

THE SPALDING, S. E. COR. PARK AND Alder sts., under the management of the owner, Helen F. Spalding—The most complete apartment-house in the Northwest; choice rooms, for gentlemen or gentleman and wife; furnished housekeeping suites a specialty.

THE NEWCASTLE, S. E. COR. THIRD AND Harrison sts.—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished; all modern conveniences; references.

THE GILBERT—LARGE, WELL-FURNISHED rooms; all modern conveniences. Third and Taylor sts.; entrance, 267 Taylor.

ALCOVE ROOM, SUITABLE FOR TWO GENtlemen; single rooms; gas, bath; central; private family. 409½ Washington.

FIVE UNFURNISHED ROOMS AND BATH. 102 12th, between Stark and Washington. Lower flat. Apply afternoons.

THE MAINE—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS; new management. Mrs. E. B. Starbird, 222 Columbia.

GILMAN HOTEL—Brick bldg., central; furnished rooms, $1 week and up. 1st and Alder.

OCKLEY, 300½ MORRISON—Nicely furnished rooms, for gentlemen; modern conveniences.

LYNDELL, 581 MORRISON—NEW MANAGEment; elegantly furnished rooms; gentlemen.

Unfurnished suite of rooms; suitable for office. Also housekeeping rooms. 270½ Morrison.

MRS. M. OSVOLD, 221½ MORRISON ST.—Nicely furnished rooms; rent reasonable.

Rooms With Board.

PORTLAND WOMEN'S UNION; 12TH YEAR; rooms with board; enameled bath tubs; use of library; Woman's Exchange; Industrial school. Address Mrs. E. C. George, superintendent, 510 Flanders street.

324 SALMON ST., BETWEEN SIXTH AND Seventh—Two large, nicely furnished front rooms, with board; suitable for man and wife or two gentlemen; furnace heat; telephone, gas and bath.

FURNISHED SUITE OF ROOMS; ALSO SINgle rooms; with board if desired; modern conveniences. 72 14th st., cor. Everett.

175 12TH ST—PLEASANT ROOMS, WITH first-class board; gas, bath, furnace heat and telephone.

TWO NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH board; all conveniences; best location. 228 11th st.

FRONT ROOM, WITH ALCOVE AND BOARD, for elderly couple or gentleman. 330 Fifth.

THE VANDERBILT — FURNISHED ROOMS, with board. 381 Yamhill.

NEWLY FURNISHED SUNNY ROOM, WITH board. 141 West Park.

435 WASHINGTON STREET.—LARGE FRONT rooms, with board.

Housekeeping Rooms.

435 ALDER—LIGHT, CHEERFUL HOUSEkeeping and other rooms, bath, telephone; under new management.

THREE FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING AND pantry, including water and piano, $11 per month. 588 Pettygrove.

The Graham—Housekeeping apartments a specialty; gas ranges and telephone. 545½ Wash.

Flat of 4 rooms, furnished or unfurnished; also other rooms; references. 388 Jefferson street.

Houses.

FOR RENT—CORNER HOUSE, 17TH AND Johnson, with all modern improvements; 9 rooms. Inquire of A. H. Steinbach, Fourth and Morrison.

HOUSE AND 3 ACRES IN PRUNES, ON Oregon City car line, at Midway. Address E. R. Brown, The Brown, East Side.

I WILL BUILD MODERN HOUSE FOR REsponsible tenant on 5 or 10 years' lease. Address C 18, Oregonian.

6 - ROOM HOUSE, NEWLY PAPERED, 730 East Ankeny, near 22d. Apply 237½ Washington, janitor.

8-ROOM HOUSE; ALL MODERN CONVENiences; 290 Park. Apply 291 Seventh.

Furnished Houses.

TWO LARGE FURNISHED ROOMS, LOWER floor; telephone and bath. 240 Park st.

Houses for Rent—Furniture for Sale.

FOR RENT, FURNITURE FOR SALE—19-room house, suitable for a fashionable boarding-house; the most desirable location in the city of Astoria; all modern improvements. Call or address 390 11th street.

FOR SALE—A FINE 10-ROOM, WELL-FURnished house, centrally located; all rooms occupied; sickness is reason for selling this bargain, for cash only. Address W 14, care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—AT BARGAIN, ELEGANT FURniture of 12-room house. Apply at 291 11th street.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

1900, W. No. 3.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COlumbia, Between The Western Canadian Ranching Company, Limited, and Reduced, Plaintiffs, and Benjamin Van Volkenburgh, Allan Richfield Cameron and James Jackson, Defendants—To James Jackson, of Portland, Or.: Take notice that the Western Canadian Ranching Company, Limited, and reduced, a company having its head office in British Columbia, at No. 40 Government street, Victoria, British Columbia, has commenced an action against Benjamin Van Volkenburgh, Allan Richfield Cameron and you, James Jackson, in the supreme court of British Columbia, by writ of that court, dated the 29th day of January, A. D. 1900, which said writ is indorsed as follows:

"The plaintiffs' claim is to have an account "taken of what is due to them for principal, "interest and costs upon the following mort"gages, that is to say.

"a. Mortgage dated the 14th day of Novem"ber, 1893, and made between the defendant "Van Volkenburgh of the one part and Wil"liam Turpin and George Steily of the other "part, which said mortgage was by indenture "dated the 24th day of October, 1894, as"signed to the plaintiffs.

"b. Mortgage dated the 3d day of March "1894, and made between the defendant Van "Volkenburgh of the one part, and the British "Columbia Land & Investment Agency, "Limited, of the other part, which said mort"gage was by indenture dated the 10th day "of November, 1899, assigned to the plaintiffs.

"c. Mortgage dated the 3d day of March, "A. D. 1894, made between the defendant "Van Volkenburgh of the one part, and the "British Columbia Land & Investment "Agency, Limited, of the other part, which "said mortgage was by indenture dated the "10th day of November, 1899, assigned to "the plaintiffs.

"d. Chattel mortgage dated the 3d day of "March, A. D. 1894, made between the de"fendant Van Volkenburgh of the one part, "and the British Columbia Land & Invest"ment Agency, Limited, of the other part, "which said chattel mortgage was by inden"ture dated the 10th day of November, 1899, "assigned to the plaintiffs."

"And that the said mortgages may be "enforced by foreclosure."

"And the plaintiffs also claim to recover "possession of lots 616 and 617, group 1, "Kamloops Division of Yale District and Sec"tion 26, Township Ten (10) Queen Charlotte "district in the Province of British Colum"bia, being hereditaments described in the "first three above mentioned mortgages."

And you are required on or before the 1st day of March, A. D. 1900, to defend the said action by causing an appearance to be entered for you in the said court to the said action; and in default of your so doing, the said The Western Canadian Ranching Company, Limited, and reduced, may proceed therein and judgment may be given in your absence.

You may appear to the said writ by entering an appearance personally, or by your solicitor, in the office of the registrar of this court at Victoria, B. C.

E. E. WOOTTON.

Of the firm of McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard, Bank of Montreal Chambers, corner of Bastion and Government sts., Victoria, B. C., whose address for service is the same place, solicitor for the plaintiff company, whose head office in British Columbia is No. 40 Government st., Victoria, B. C.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Victoria, Feb. 5th, 1900, Registry.
Entered Vol. 21, Folio 762, 5/2/1900, W. P. M. L. S. 60c.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH Columbia—In Chambers: Before the Honourable Mr. Justice Martin, between The Western Canadian Ranching Company, Limited, and reduced, plaintiffs, and Benjamin Van Volkenburgh, Allan Richfield Cameron and James Jackson, defendants. Thursday, the 1st day of February, 1900:

Upon the application of the plaintiff company.

Upon reading the affidavit of George Henry Barnard, sworn herein this day, and, it appearing that the defendant Jackson is absent and cannot be found to be served with notice of the writ of summons herein.

And upon hearing Mr. George Henry Barnard of counsel for the plaintiff company.

It is ordered that the plaintiff company be at liberty to issue a concurrent writ of summons herein and to serve notice thereof out of the jurisdiction upon the defendant Jackson.

And it is further ordered that service upon the defendant of notice of the said writ by publishing a copy of this order and such notice for two weeks in the Oregonian newspaper published in the city of Portland, Oregon, and by posting a copy of this order and such notice in the office of the registrar of the supreme court at Victoria, and by serving a copy of this order and such notice upon Mr. H. G. Hall, solicitor, Victoria, be deemed good and sufficient service of the said writ upon the defendant Jackson.

And it is further ordered that the defendant Jackson do enter an appearance to the said writ of summons in the office of this court at Victoria, British Columbia, on or before the first day of March, A. D. 1900.

And it is further ordered that the costs of this application be costs in the cause.

"B. H. T. D." "ARCHER MARTIN, J."

Proposals Invited.

PROPOSALS FOR REFUNDING WATER Bonds, Dalles City, Or.—Sealed proposals will be received by the board of water commissioners of Dalles City, Or., at said city, until 5:30 o'clock P. M. of the 26th day of February, 1900, for twenty-five thousand dollars and twenty thousand dollars of refunding water bonds of said city (as it is not settled as to whether the total amount of bonds will be $25,000 or $20,000). Authority is extended to the said board to issue refunding water bonds in the sum of $25,000, but if found not to be necessary the issue will be for no more than $20,000. And at a rate of interest not exceeding 4 per cent per annum, payable 20 years from date of issue, interest payable semiannually, principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States, at any city therein, at the option of the buyer. The bonds mentioned will be issued under the provisions of the several legislative acts of the state of Oregon, approved Feb. 28, 1885; Feb. 19, 1889, and Feb. 14, 1895, and in pursuance of an ordinance adopted by the common council of Dalles City, approved Jan. 25, 1900. The proposed refunding water bonds are intended for the redemption of outstanding water bonds in the sum of $25,000, but in case the board of water commissioners prefer it will issue refunding bonds for $20,000 only; therefore, bidders may make proposals for both $25,000 and $20,000, and in the denomination of $500 each. No bid will be entertained for a rate less than par value of the bonds. Premiums and rate of interest will be taken into consideration in passing on the value of all bids. Bidders must deposit with the president of the board a duly certified check on some responsible bank equal to 2 per cent of the amount of bonds bid for, or accompany his bid with cash of such amount as will equal such per cent of his bid; and such certified check made payable to the president of the board of water commissioners of Dalles City, Or., as liquidated damages in case the bidder shall fail or neglect to receive and pay for, at the office of the city treasurer of said city, the bonds awarded to him on his bid, on or before the 1st day of March, 1900. Attention should be given the fact that the board will not issue and dispose of more than $20,000 of such refunding bonds unless it shall be deemed necessary to do so, but otherwise, if the board shall find that it is necessary to issue bonds in the sum of $25,000, it will then offer and issue the full sum ($25,000). The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the said board of water commissioners. Bids should be addressed to the president of said board, or to the city recorder, Dalles City, Wasco county, Or., and noted "Proposals for refunding water bonds." By order of the board of water commissioners, by and with the consent of the common council, this 25th day of January, 1900. T. J. SEUFERT.
(L. S.) President of Board.
Attest: NED H. GATES,
Recorder of Dalles City.

MERCHANDISE AND LUMBER FOR SALE—In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah—In the Matter of the Estate of H. B. Borthwick, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that I will receive sealed bids for the stock of goods, wares and merchandise situated at Mooresville, Columbia county, Or., and for the stock of boots and shoes, situated at Goble, Columbia county, Or., and for the lumber now in the yards at Goble and Mooresville, in the said county and state, now in my hands as administrator of the above-entitled estate, under the following terms and conditions:

All bids must be in writing and sealed, and delivered to me, at the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Multnomah county, at Portland, Or., on or before 12 o'clock noon of the 24th day of February, 1900, at which time and place all bids will be opened. The inventory of the merchandise and of the lumber can be examined at the above-mentioned office during office hours until said date, and also at Goble and Mooresville by calling on C. L. Wilcox at Goble. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some bank in Portland, payable to my order, in the sum of $100, to be forfeited in the event of a failure to comply with the bid made if property be sold to such bidder. Checks will be returned to unsuccessful bidders. All bids must be for cash in hand, and the bids on the stocks of merchandise must be made on a basis of accepting them where they are now situated, and the bids on the lumber may be made on a basis of delivery at Goble, Portland or Astoria. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

The stocks and property can be examined each day between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 M., and 2 P. M. and 4 P. M., prior to the 24th day of February, 1900, at the places where the same are situated.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1900.
DAN J. MOORE,
Administrator of the Estate of H. B. Borthwick, Deceased.

OFFICE OF THE CONSTRUCTING QUARtermaster, Seattle, Wash., Feb. 12, 1900.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 4 P. M., Friday, February 23, 1900, and then opened, for the construction of a double set of non-commissioned officers' quarters, fuel sheds and lavatory at Fort Flagler, Wash. Plans and specifications may be seen and full information furnished on application at this office. The United States reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for construction work at Fort Flagler, Wash.," and addressed to W. W. ROBINSON, JR., Capt. and A. Q. M.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Proposals Invited.

WATER WORKS—THE TOWN OF FOSSIL, Wheeler county, Or., will receive proposals until Tuesday evening, March 6, 1900, for the construction of a system of water works, according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the town recorder. The system consists of:
12,000 feet of 2¼-inch pipe.
2,500 feet of 2-inch pipe.
3,000 feet of 6-inch pipe.
1,400 feet of 8-inch pipe.
Hydrants, gates and special fittings.
One 150,000-gallon reservoir, cement lined.
Bids may be made on labor and materials separately. All bids must be accompanied with a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the mayor of Fossil. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. H. STOKES, Recorder.
Fossil, Or., Feb. 10, 1900.

OFFICE PURCHASING COMMISSARY, VANcouver barracks, Wash., February 15, 1900. Sealed proposals will be received here until 11 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, February 27, 1900, and then opened, for furnishing and delivering subsistence stores, in such quantities as may be required, at Portland, Or., Seattle, or Vancouver barracks, Wash., during March, 1900. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed, "Proposals for subsistence stores," and addressed James N. Allison, major C. S.

Stockholders' Meeting.

NORTHPORT MINING & MILLING COMpany—Notice to Stockholders—The stockholders of the above-named corporation are hereby notified that at a directors' meeting, duly held, on the 12th of February, 1900, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That an assessment of ¾ cent ($0.0075 per share) be levied on all stock of the corporation, Northport Mining & Milling Company, said assessment to be due and paid before the 5th day of March, 1900. Any payment heretofore made to the treasurer of the company by the stockholders for the development work of the company may be credited as part payment of this assessment, and a receipt from said treasurer shall be accepted in lieu of cash upon this assessment."

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 12th day of February, 1900.
J. E. HOLFF, Secretary.

Miscellaneous.

NOTICE—DR. J. S. WALTER, HAVING SEcured office room in connection with the New York Dental Parlors, will be pleased to have his old friends and patients call on him at their new office, Fourth and Morrison, where he will attend to them personally. Thanking all for past favors he begs to remain their obedient servant, J. S. WALTER, M. D. S.

PERSONALS.

27 women wanted suffering from irregular, painful or stoppage of periods; leucorrhoea (whites), and all complicated diseases pertaining to changes of life, cured by old Dr. Keeler, cor. Second and Yamhill sts. 320 women called last month. Consultation free, and private rooms for ladies. If can't call, write, inclosing 10 2c stamps. Hundreds treated at home by his new system.

A GENTLEMAN FROM ALASKA, HAVING good mining property, wishes to meet lady with means, who is willing to live in Alaska; object, business and matrimony. Address E 15, care Oregonian.

ONE SUIT CALLED FOR, PRESSED, sponged and delivered every week, $1 a month. Also steam cleaning, dyeing and repairing. Unique Tailoring Co., 347 Washington. Phones.

ILLOND'S PREVENTATIVE CONES, THE greatest of all antiseptics, sent sealed, per box, $1.50; send 10c for sample and particulars. Illond Chem. Co., Portland, Or. P. O. box 974.

50 FINE VISITING CARDS, 25c; 50, 25c, POST paid; 250 business cards, $1; 500, $1.50. Brown & Schmale, printers, 220 First street, Portland, Or.

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