

MINING EXCHANGE

Necessity of It Explained to Chamber of Commerce.

WILL PROTECT OUTSIDE INVESTORS

Scarcity in Eastern Oregon is in Favor of Portland Taking the Lead.

Oregon's mining industry needs a Mining Exchange at Portland for its further development and the protection of investors in mining properties and the stock issues of companies.

Two Men Decline Honors

Ministers Who Do Not Wish to "Receive" Mr. Bryan.

Two citizens chosen by the Democratic managers for places on a committee to meet W. J. Bryan are not anxious that they be honored.

Because He is a Prohibitionist.

"Portland, March 22.—(To the Editor.)—I noticed by today's Oregonian that you have chosen as a member of the reception committee to the Hon. William J. Bryan.

Why an Exchange is Needed.

The trustees of the Chamber of Commerce held a special meeting yesterday morning for the purpose of giving the incorporators of the Mining Exchange a hearing.

FINE PICTURES OF ALASKA.

Dr. Finks in Charming Illustrated Entertainment.

The first of a series of illustrated lectures by Dr. W. E. Finks, of the Presbyterian Church by Dr. E. Finks, of New York City.

Flowers for the Dead.

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Call to Native Sons.

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IN THE SEVERAL COURTS

SUIT AGAINST B. G. WHITEHOUSE ON TRIAL.

Hearing Resumed After a Recess of Several Months—Defense Has a Day in Railroad Suit.

The trial of the suit of C. J. Reed et al., executors of the will of John Green, deceased, for an accounting as to \$30,350, was resumed yesterday before Judge Cleland.

Defense Has a Day.

The third day of the trial of the \$30,000 damage suit of F. L. Richmond against the Southern Pacific Company was taken up by the defense.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

A petition has been filed in the United States Court by A. Bush, of Salem, Oregon, asking that D. W. Dorrance, of Portland, be adjudged a bankrupt.

Got Off Light.

Fred McMurray, who pleaded guilty to simple larceny and was fined \$25, the offense being the taking of a bicycle from Mr. Willey, is now at liberty, having paid the owner the value of the watch, and otherwise arranged matters.

Motion for Nonsuit Argued.

A motion for a nonsuit in the case of Carl O. Johnson vs. Portland Granite & Stone Company for \$10,000, was argued by Ralph Bisbee, attorney for the defendant in Judge Sears' Court, yesterday, and

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Rain has occurred over Washington and Oregon within the past 24 hours, and east of the Cascades within the past 48 hours.

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HOMES ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN

The undersigned is prepared to build homes in Irvington, the most popular suburb of Portland, on the installment plan.

THOS. SCOTT BROOKE

Real Estate, Concord Building

Quarter block, Sixteenth and Johnson Streets, \$3500.

24th, Marshall Street, just ab

24th, \$3300.

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