## **CITY NEWS IN BRIEF** RECEPTION TO CHOIR .- The reception ten-Amusements Tonight.

CORDRAY'S THEATER (Washington Street)

REDUCTION OF WAGES .- The Lighthous Board at their meeting on March 5 fixed the pay of employes on lighthouse tenders and lightships, making a considerable re-duction, which the men will be aware of when paid on the last day of the month. The schedule is not to operate to reduce the pay of any person holding appointment from the Secretary of the Treasury on April 1, but will affect their successors. The reduction does not in any way app.y to persons employed in righthouses-only to those employed on tenders and light ships. In the 13th district there is only der, the Manzanita, and two lightships, the Columbia, now ashore on the beach, and the Umatilla Reef, station d on the coast of Washington. The reduc tion does not apply to the principal offi-cers, but to second mates and those below them. Second mates are reduced from 160 per month to \$50; stewards from \$60 to \$ 0; cooks from \$60 to \$50; firemen from \$50 to \$45; coal passers from \$40 to \$55; seamen n \$49 to \$35; cabin boys from \$30 to The new schedule is not likely to be from \$40 well received, and will probably cause

umber of those affected by it to resign. REMOVING PILES WITH POWDER .- Owing the piles driven out into the river at the Wolff & Zwicker iron works to sup port the ways for launching the torpedo boats built there, it is not possible t boats built there, it is not possible to get the steamer Kvichak up to the wharf to receive her masts and smokestack. The Northwestern Wrecking & Dredging Company was yesterday employed in remov ing the piles by biasting. A diver was sent down to attach powder to the bottom of the piles, eight pounds to each pile, and when he had reached a place of safety the powder was exploded by a connected with a battery on th wharf, and the piles cut clean off at the bottom of the river. The noise of the blasting attracted several hundred people who watched the proceedings with much interest. S.x out of 24 piles were removed yesterday, and the work will be continued today. The Kvichak lies below the bridge, with her stern out in the stream. As soon as the plies are all removed she will be brought alongside the wharf, to be completed.

UPSET & BABY CARRIAGE .-- Yesterday afternoon a woman scorcher ran into a baby carriage which another woman was baby carriage which another woman was wheeling along the sidewalk on Un.on avenue, upsetting the vehicle and throw-ing the baby into the stret. The scorcher is supposed to be one of the "new woman" class, who does not believe in babies, and imagines the sidewalk, in common with the earth generally, belongs to her. People are asking every day when the end of the causer for sidewalk tiding will arrive. They season for sidewalk riding will arrive. They think that as the streets are dry now bicycles might keep off the sidewalks. It is just 12 days to the end of the month, and after that bicycles are not allowed on the sidewalks, but the Council may extend the time. If any of the members were candidates for re-election they proh ably would. Perhaps some effort will be ably would. Perhaps some effort will be made to do away with this riding on the sidewalks next winter, as it has become an intolerable nuisance through the mis-conduct of reckless and incomsiderate scorchers

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WHAT CONSTITUTES TRUE RICHES .- Dr. W. D. Simmonds, of Seattle, delivered an eloquent and pleasing address last even ing at the Unitarian Church upon the subject, "The Richest Man in the World." He called the present time an age of materialism, in which every man is seek-ing to pile up riches. The wealth of the country is growing at an unprecedented rate, and millionaires are rolling up fabu-lous fortunes. But the man who posmasses the most dollars is not the richest He has added cares and worries, but he does not possess true riches. The wealth iest man is the one who enjoys the most perfect health; who is contented with his lot in life; who has stored his mind with the wealth of intellectual thought found in books. He is the man who tastes the joys of love in a happy home. These are the things that constitute real riches, and the millionaire who has them not is a poor man. The man who is blessed with then is rich if he has not one dollar in the

BADLY INJURED BY & SCORCHER.-Rush Mendenhali, an old man, was badly injured last night by being run into with a bicycle by Fred Miles. The latter, who is

dered by the members of the First Con-gregational Church to the choir in the church parlors last evening proved a most enjoyable affair. The parlors were beau-tifully decorated with dogwood blossoms, Oregon grape and lilac. There was no set programme, the object of the gathering being the establishment of a better acquaintance between the choir and the members of the church. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ackerman introduces those present to members of the choir, after which a social time was enjoyed Light refreshments were served through-out the evening. The choir consists of Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer, Mrs. Frank J.

Raley, W. J. Belcher, William A. Mont gomery, and Ralph W. Hoyt. BRILLIANT SOCIAL EVENT .- Next Tues-day evening, April 24, is the time set for the big charity ball at the Armory, which is creating such a stir of interest in this city. The social prestige of the people who are in charge insures its su Everything that culture and refined can suggest in the way of music, dancing can suggest in the way of music, cancing, refreshments and decoration will be done to make the affair one of the most bril-liant events ever known here. Tickets are now on sale at Woodard, Clarke & Co.'s.

DOUGLAS COUNTY CROPS .- Sol Abraham one of Roseburg's well-known cit zens is in the city visiting relatives. He thinks Douglas County is going to have the big gest crop of hay and grain in its history. as the season is very forward, and the fields are waving as they usually do in May. Douglas County fruitmen are not worrying over the result of frost, either, as no damage has been done the prune o peach blossoms whatever.

COPPER WIRE KLEPTOMANIAC .---- Ed Worien, a youth whom the police consider an incorrigible thief, was sentenced to one year in the County Jall by Judge Hennessy yesterday for stealing copper wire from the East Side Railway Company. Worden has been in trouble for stealing wire before, but his mother has succeeded begging off for him. He seems, however, to have an unconquerable craze for

copper wire. BODY IDENTIFIED.-The body of the man found in the river at the foot of Lovejoy street Tuesday, has been identified as that of Henry Costello, whose home was 619 Savier street. The young man's father will attend to his son's burial. No one seems to know how the drowning occurred.

DELEGATE TO MINING CONGRESS .- Angus D. McQueen, a prominent mining man, of Portland, has been commissioned by Governor Geer to represent Oregon at the third annual session of the International Mining Congress. It will be held in Milwaukee, June 19-23.

NATIVE SONS and DAUGHTERS and pio neers desiring to attend dedication cere-monies, Log Cabin, at Butteville, Friday, April 20, can procure tickets from Sol Blumauer, C. T. Belcher, S. L. Beary, Boat leaves 7 A. M.; return to Portland 9:39 P. M.

TEST CIRCLE tonight, 350% Morrison st. \*

## **RECEPTION TO NURSES-**

### Portland People Pay Their Respect to Miss Killiam and Mrs. Eliner.

Miss Lena Killiam and Mrs. May C. Ellher, Government nurses, who recently came home on a visit from Manila, where they have been nursing sick and wound-ed soldiers, were tendered a reception last evening, at the residence of Mrs. Henry Jones president of the Red Cross Society and Oregon Emergency Corps It was wisely decided that a reception would afford the grateful people of Port-land an opportunity to express their grat-itude to these two nurses for their kind and loving ministrations to the heroes of Oregon. During the evening hundreds of peopl

presented themselves and were introduced to the two women in honor of whom the function was given. Many were the ac-knowledgments of gratitude they re-ceived, although they insisted that they

had done only their duty. The dining-room, where light refresh-ments were served, was elaborately decorated with flowers for the occasion, Wilder's string quartet furnished excel-lent music, which added much to the pleasure of the hour. The visitors are indebted to the follow-ing women for their skill and manage-ment in neoviding so delichtful en even

ment in providing so delightful an even ing: Committee in charge-Mrs. R. S. Green-

**BENCH SHOW A SUCCESS** FIRST EXHIBITION OF PORTLAND KENNEL CLUB OPEN.

With Exception of Three Dogs, All Classes Are Full-Attendance Is Large.

If there was ever any doubt of the success of the initial dog show of the Portland Kennel Club it was dissipated yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock when the doors of the old Cyclorama building, on Third street, between Pine and Ash, were opened. The entries are full, and all the classes named in the catalogue are represented in the building with the excep-tion of about three doors. All kinds of tion of about three dogs. All kinds of dogs are there except curs. St. Bernards, Danes, mastiffs and setters in the great est variety. The interior of the building is neatly arranged. The stalls are ar-ranged around the building and through

the center, each stall being numbered and inscribed with the name of the owner of the dog as it is given in the catalogue, making it easy for the visitors to find and examine any dog they care to see. Superintendent J. W. Burrell, of San Francisco, said last night he was very highly pleased with the show, and he con-sidered the exhibition a first-class one, and, for an initial effort, was rather remarkable H. T. Payne, of San Francisco, who I

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H. T. Payne, of San Francisco, who is judge of all classes, said the dogs exhib-ited were of a very high class, particularly so in the sporting dogs. All the officers of the Kennel Club were on hand yester-day and last night, and they were a busy jot of men. The officers are: President, W. F. Burrell: vice-president, F. V. Hol-man; treasurer, R. Lea Barnes; secre-tary, J. A. Taylor; board of directors, Tu-dor J. A. Tiedemann, C. F. Willie, W. W. Peaslee; bench show committee, F. V. Holmar, E. Shelley Morgan, T. J. A. Tiedemann; veterinary surgeon, Dr. Will-iam McLean; tudge of all classes, H. T. Payne, of Sar. Francisco; superintendent, J. W. Burrell, of San Francisco. At 8 o'clock last night, when the doors

At 8 o'clock last night, when the doors of the bench show were thrown open to the general public, over 200 dogs yelped in unison and for a time the weikin was very busy ringing. For over two hours the blg and little dogs held their recep-tion, the debutantes all in a quiver of ex-

citement, all alive and barking, while the experienced bencher, with a blase air, after a few turns around his stall, found a soft place in the straw and forthwith retired to dog dreamland. Some of the more susceptible would recognize the soft touch of a gloved hand upon his head or a gentle hug from a pair of soft arms by quietly fishing one eye. Society was out in force, and while the large crowd ap-

parently dispensed their favors impartially, somehow the foreign titled fellows were the attractive points, even though advances were met with apparent disdain, One of the most marked features of the advancer exhibit is the very large entry of high-class pointers and setters, the judget claiming that the game dog exhibit is the finest of any bench show outside of New York. And there are some beauties that

are handsome specimens, even to the or dinary mortal not versed in dog iore, There is another feature that is some what surprising, and that is the absence of greyhounds, deerhounds; in fact, few of the hound family are exhibited, while the large dogs are somewhat conspicuous by the fewness of entries. The absence of hounds is no new thing at a bench show as Judge Payne reports that even in the California shows the owners of grey-hounds withhold their dogs for some unaccountable reason, and greyhounds in California are about as numerous as jack-

rabbits. The noisy little fox terriers kept the space in front of their exhibit pretty well cleared by their piercing yelp and bark which was almost incessant and al-most too much for feminine ears.

In the evening the women predominated. The crowd was as large as the building would permit. During the exhibit were noticed Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ayres. Mr. and Mrs. von Etilinger, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Voorhees, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tanner, Dr. and Mrs. J. W.

Hill, Mrs. C. J. Reed, Miss Lang, of The Dalles, Mrs. Patterson, the Misses Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kochler, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burrell.

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In the suit of H. S. Rowe, Milton W Weidler et al. vs. John Hale and wife et al., a decree was rendered by Judge Cleiand foreclosing a mortgage for \$2800 on lots 15 and 16, block 5; lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 6, and lots 7, 14 and 15, block 20, Willamette Heights Addition. Various other and the defendant beind other creditors of the defendant hold liens against the property.

## **KING'S DAUGHTERS' BAZAAR**

Pretty Parish-House Today.

There is no doubt that the Easter bazaar to be given this afternoon by the King's Daughters of Trinity Church will be a success. If, as is anticipated, all the members and their friends take a social cup of tea at Mrs. J. P. Moffett's teatable in the parish-house, instead of at home, the hostess will be busy indeed. A variety of little cakes will be served with the tea for which the typewritten recipes will be sold at 10 cents each. Other attractions will be the table of useful and inexpensive fancy articles, over which Mrs. C. Andersen will preside. Delicious home-made candies will be offered for sale by



an elevator boy at the St. Charles Hotel was scorching up Morrison street at a 3-minute galt, without a lamp on his wheel, and on the corner of Fifth came in collision with Mr. Mendenhall, who is very feeble, and who was in the act of crossing the street. The old man was thrown down his head faling against the stone curb making a deep gash over his right ear. Whether he suffered any internal injuries was not known last night. The boy stood by and helped the injured man to his feet, and was afterward taken to the police station by an officer. He asserts that he was forced into the collision by passing street-car.

VIOLATING FISHING LAWS .- It is currently reported that fishing for salmon is be-ing carried on in the Clackamas River contrary to law, this stream having been closed to fishing by act of the Legislature, and reserved for propagating pur-poses, there being two hatcheries on it. It is said that the fishermen there are a tough lot, and that local authorities stand in with them, and that if any of them are arrested it is impossible to secure a conviction. Deputies appointed there are afraid to interfere with the fishermen. One person who did so was punished, it is said, by his orchard being cut down. It might be possible to procure deputies as tough as the fishermen, who would enforce the law.

NEW OFFICERS.-Captain and Mrs. Rogers, A. D. C., have just taken charge of the work of the Volunters of America in Portland. They have had 16 years' extry in this kind of work, and are both very able. They come here from Seattle, Wash., where they were stationed for 11 Their two little sons are the months. drummer boys, whose drumming and sing-ing are a great attraction, and draw large crowds to their nightly street serv-. Their mission-room is located at 36 and street, near Burnside, and they ices. "Their mission-re hold forth there after the street meet-ings. They invite the public to attend their meetings at the hall.

FOUR-BITS, CONSCIENCE MONEY .- Postmaster Croasman received a letter yester-day from Marita Soffia, of Jersey City, N. J., in which she states that in 1855 she bought some stamps at the Postoffice here, and the clerk made an error in change by which she secured 50 cents more than she was entitled to. She now wishes to clear her conscience of retaining this money wrongfully and incloses 56 cents in stamps as principal and interest. As the person who was stamp clerk at that time must have made the loss good, the Government was out nothing by the error, and the clerk will recive the 56 cents.

WILL LEAVE APRIL 28 .- Captain Taussig Lighthouse Inspector here, has been noti-fied that he will be relieved April 28 by Commander W. P. Day, who has been relieved from command of the United States steamer Vixen, to take the position. Captain Taussig is ordered to take passage of the United States steamer Solace, from Mare Island, about May I, for Manila, to relieve Commander C. S. Sperry, of the Yorktown.

South PORTLAND W. C. T. U.-The reg-ular meeting of the South Portland W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon in the Immanuel Baptist Church, corner Mend and Second streets, at 3 o'clock. Every one is instead one is invited.

MR. BENJ. I. COHEN will deliver an ad-drees on "The Jews in the American Rev-olution" at the Synagogue Ahaval Sho-lom, on Thursday evening, April 19, at 7.38 c'clock. The public is cordially invited. END OF PASSOVER .- Passover conclusion services will be held this evening at Tem-ple Beth Israel at 7:30 by Rabbi J. Bloch. The services tomorrow morning will be-gin at 10 o'clock.

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Lounsbury. Committee in charge of the tables-Mrs. W. C. Alvord, Mrs. John Gill, Mrs. Harvey E. Lounsbury and Miss Anna Knox. Young women assisting-Miss B Lounsbury, Miss G. Burnett, Miss E. Sherman, Miss S. Harris, Miss L. North-up, Miss M. B. Moffetl, Miss D. Fletcher, Miss D. Freeman and Miss Edna Protzman.

In charge of the punch table-Mrs. B. E Miller, Mrs. W. T. Gardner, Miss M. Mitcheil and Miss C. Harris. Mrs. Eliner and Miss Killiam will sai

on their return to their post of dut about May 15. It is needless to say that they will take with them the best wisher of all who have a warm place in their hearts for the American soldier.

GENUINE LOG CABIN.

Native Sons of Oregon Will Dedicate One at Butteville.

About 100 Native Sons will leave here tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock for Butte-ville, where a new cabin will be dedicated in the afternoon. It is to be called F. X. Mathleu's cabin, No. 12, and for their headquarters they have erected a typical lob cabin, which is for their exusive use.

The steamer Altona has been chartered for the Portland visitors, among whom will be Grand President Sol Blumauer. Grand Secretary Eugene D. White, Grand Historian Fred Saylor and a number of sentiemen who are old ploneers of the state, but who are not eligible for mem-bership with the Native Sons of Oregon. Governor Geer, of Abernethy's cabin, will also be one of the party, and is on the programme as the orator. A grand ball is to be given in the evening. The Altona will beave Taylor Street

The Altona will leave Taylor-Street dock with the delegation tomorrow morn-ing at 7 o'clock, and, proceeding up the river, will take on a party of Native Sone at Oregon City an hour later. Butte-ville will be reached about 11 o'clock, and those desiring to return home tomorrow evening can get the boat at 6:20 P. M. and reach Portland about three hours later. Those desiring to stay for the dance get an early boat Saturday morning and reach here before noon.

## WHERE TO DINE.

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The trained dogs, under Professor Hunt did a variety of dog stunts on a raised platform along the north side of the building, the clever little animals receiv ing hearty applause for their work. Pro fessor Hunt lives at Mount Tabor, but has previously been trainer for Sells Bros. Gentry, and other large Eastern shows His little band of actors is a decided! good attraction. The judging will begin at 10 o'clock this morning, when the doors will be thrown

open to the public. The work of the trainers and judge in the ring is a part of the bench show that is most instructive to the fancier, and as there is such a very large entry list, today and tomor row will be taken up pretty well aroun



#### Will of W. A. Scoggin Filed-Note on Litigation.

The will of Woodson A. Scoggin, de-ceased, was admitted to probate in the County Court yesterday. The estate is be-queathed to the wife, Margaret Auguste, queathed to the wife, Margaret Auguste who is named executor of the instrument without bonds. To the children, George R., John B., Dora Louisa and Ida A. Scoggin, \$5 each is devised. The will wa

executed in June 1898, and was witnessed by T. M. Richardson and C. Bomberger. The petition filed with the will does not state the value of the property. Probate Matters.

In the matter of the estate of H. T. Bingham, deceased, Judge Cake made an order yesterday on the petition of Phemie W. Hannum, the widow, exempt-ing certain law books valued at \$250, and the certain law books valued at \$25, other personal property valued at \$75. The law books are in the possession of the present husband of the petitioner, who is also a lawyer by profession. Mrs. is also a lawyer by profession. Mrs. Hannum in her petition recites that under the statute her husband could have de-manded exemption of the books to a cer-tain amount, and as his wife she descended to his right. There are quite a number of claims still unpaid. Mrs. Han-num, as administratrix of the estate, had a balance of \$153 on hand, which she used a balance of sixs on hand, which she used for herself and child. The court ap-proved the outlay. H. H. Newhall, ad-ministrator de bonis non, has possession of books valued at \$100 which he was directed to sell for the benefit of the creditors.

The inventory of the estate of John W. Periot, deceased, was filed. The property is valued at \$13,015. There is \$237 cash. \$5000 notes, and real property appraised at \$3500.

at \$2500. The inventory of the estate of Charles S. Claggett, deceased, was filed. The ap-praised value is \$4943, of which \$2 acres of land is appraised at \$4600. Joseph E. Hedges, administrator of the estate of Wash F. Allen, deceased, filed a report of the doings of the late John Myers, who was avening theming filed

Myers, who was executor, showing \$1769 receipts. \$1061 paid out, and \$718 balance on hand. The court fixed the compensa-tion of Myers at \$300 to be deducted from the \$718 the \$718

tenth semiannual report of Richard Koehler, executor of the will of Clement S. F. Caesar, was filed. The

The deficit at the time of the last report was \$52 and \$150 was disbursed. The deficit at the time of the last report was \$522 and it is now \$277. C. E. Kindt appealed to the State Circuit Court from the decree disallowing his claim against the estate of Henry J. Thommoor decreased Thompson, deceased, George and W. J. Zimmerman, executors of the will of Jacob Zimmerman, deceased,

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