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AUCTION OF ASSETS Portland Savings Bank Affairs to Be Wound Up.

Present Freshet Will Reach Maximum of One Foot More. The Willamette rises at Portland continued all day yesterday, and by 5 o'clock had reached a height of 16.7 feet on the river gauge.

BARRED "OUTSIDE" GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI REJECT AN AMENDMENT. Men Graduates May Not Invite Their Fair Ungraduated Friends—Prizes Offered for Merit.

EAGER TO RETURN NORTH Return Tide of Men to the Klondike Has Set In.

Assembled at the High School last evening was a large number of the Portland High School Alumni Association. In numbers the young men were greatly outpointed by the young women, for there had gone out whispers among the fair members that the meeting there was to be attempted an infringement of their traditional rights.

Prizes for Merit. The plan of instituting an annual Alumni Association oratorical contest among the students of the school and offering for the winner a handsome gold medal was unanimously carried, and the chair announced that the committee of arrangements three of the originators of the idea: Ben L. Norden, Jay H. Upton and Fred McCarver.

Reception to February Class. The next question to receive a vigorous and spirited discussion was the annual reception to the February class. The date fixed for February 1. The nature of the entertainment was debated, whether to be a combination of a reception and literary features with the antique "Poet, Prophet and Orator" all on the program, as ordained by an iron-clad constitution.

Martha Washington Chapter Installed. The officers of Martha Washington Chapter, No. 14, Order Eastern Star, were installed last night by Mrs. Jessie S. Vert, grand matron; Mrs. M. E. Hall, grand chaplain; Mrs. Clara E. Rumsay, grand marshal; Mrs. Della L. Houston, grand secretary; Mrs. Caroline F. Miller, grand organist; following are the officers: Matron, Mrs. Elsie A. King; patron, George W. Hyland; associate matron, Mrs. Susie C. Starr; treasurer, Mrs. Millie Terry; secretary, Mrs. Margaret Howatson; conductress, Mrs. Matilda Sally; associate

In speaking of the trouble between Americans and Canadians at the Dawson Christmas banquet, reported by telegraph, Mr. Sanders said the Canadians value the friendship of the Americans too highly to permit of discord.

BAKER COUNTY'S PROGRESS County Seat Has as Many People Now as the County Had in 1895.

"Baker City has a larger population now than the whole of Baker County contained five years ago," said J. B. Bowen, of the Baker City Democrat, at the Imperial yesterday.

Van Camp's soups, 10c at all grocers. Hislop's Pure Spices DRINK TRIUMPH ROASTED COFFEE.

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