

CHANGE IN THE "Q"

The Old President and the New One.

DOES IT MEAN MORE COMBINE?

Both Officials Have Served Long With the Burlington-Independent-Condition of the Property—These Men Liked Portland.

The change in the presidency of the Burlington, Burlington, Quince is said in New York to mean that the Burlington is to enter the Hill-Morgan combination.

Charles Elliot, vice-president for 40 years of the Burlington railroad, succeeded John M. Forbes, who was the father of the Burlington system.

Both Mr. Perkins and Mr. Harris were in Portland some two years ago. They passed through Portland on their way to Alaska, and on their return came back to this city and spent several days here.

George B. Harris is 33 years old and has been employed in the Burlington system for more than 25 years.

The Burlington system comprises 7661 miles of track, and it has a bonded debt of \$18,145,000, at \$17.75 per mile.

Reports of the consolidation of the Burlington system with any combine are discredited in some well informed quarters because it is a self-financed corporation that is owned and controlled by interests that are practically independent of and apart from the great banking houses that rule the other railroads.

Outlet for Pittsburg to the West is Assured.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 25.—The Dispatch says today: "The oft-repeated threat of Andrew Carnegie to build a trunk line into Pittsburg and the long-promised entry of the Washburn Railroad into this great tonnage center are at last assured facts."

MAY AFFECT COUNTY SEAT.

Giving Part of Union County to Baker, Changes the Center.

J. M. Church, a banker of La Grande, and a prominent citizen of Eastern Oregon, was in Portland yesterday on his way to Corvallis to attend a special meeting of the board of regents of the Agricultural College.

which last year was inhabited by only one family now affords homes for 27.

PICTURED WHITECHAPEL.

Rev. J. E. Snyder Thinks Much Work is Now Necessary.

"Social conditions of Portland's Whitechapel" was the subject of an address delivered last night by Rev. J. E. Snyder at a meeting of the Men's League of the First Baptist Church.

Mr. Snyder first exhibited a chart he had prepared of conditions of the district known as Whitechapel—4 blocks, bounded by Pine, Second, Flanders and Fourth streets—in which he stated there were 131 dives or disorderly houses, 42 saloons, 14 lodging-houses and several pawnshops.

When I passed through a portion of Whitechapel, seated in a trolley-car, I shut my eyes—in those early days. One day I took my wife there to see social conditions, and she fainted. I called a carriage and took her home.

Mr. Snyder then specified certain houses in Whitechapel, which he characterized as leper-spots in an otherwise clean city.

Some people say that the social evil cannot be suppressed, and that we will have it always, just the same as we have murder. Shall we then say it is useless to enforce laws against murder, because men will unfortunately continue to kill each other?

NEW PRESIDENT OF THE BURLINGTON.



EUGENE BLAIR.

The company of players supporting Miss Blair, who comes to the Marquam Grand Friday night, March 1, and Saturday matinee, March 2, in "A Lady of Quality."

RATIFIED BY BANQUET

CELEBRATION OF MITCHELL'S ELECTION AS SENATOR.

More Than Four Score Good Fellows Crowd Around the Board at Watson's—Many Informal Speeches.

The election of John H. Mitchell to be United States Senator was ratified with a banquet at Watson's restaurant last night. It was largely spontaneous, and was not at all weighed with heavy formalities.

RETIRING PRESIDENT OF THE BURLINGTON.



C. E. PERKINS.

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before the banquet began. An hour later C. E. Perkins, retiring president of the Burlington, made a characteristic speech. He recognized the presence of representatives of the three houses of the Legislature, and paid his meed of praise to each, referring to the struggle of the late session and its glorious wind-up, Saturday night, in the triumphant election of "our grand old chief, John H. Mitchell."

SHEEP KING OF MORROW.

Death of William Penland at St. Vincent's Hospital.

William Penland, a well-known sheep-raiser of Morrow County, died at St. Vincent's Hospital yesterday at 5:30 P. M., from the effects of a surgical operation performed on him last night.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

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James-Kidder Company. One of the most elaborate productions that will be seen at the Marquam Grand during the season is that of "A Midsummer Night's Dream," which will be presented by Louis James and Kathryn Kidder and a company of 41 players next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, March 4, 5 and 6.



GEORGE B. HARRIS.

City and bought a law library from Amory Hobrook. Then he entered upon a political career that had continued up to the present point, and he expressed heartfelt thanks for the honors that had been heaped upon him, and promised to give his very best service to the commonwealth for six more years.

was we. And now is a time to stop this factional strife. We are Republicans because we believe in certain principles. I believe, as the Oregonian has said, that the time has come for ending bitter factional strife, and that it can be done, and ought to be done now.

He referred to his own experience in the Legislature of 1878, when, as a Republican from Clatsop County, he voted for and helped elect Senator Nesmith, a Democrat, because the Legislature was Democratic, and he had his choice among the Democrats.

Hedges, the Democratic colleague from Clatsop County, was called upon and was vociferously received. He made a short address, which was scarce concluded when Nottingham broke in with something about the absence of lawyers in the Multnomah delegation, and made a short address, which was scarce concluded when Nottingham broke in with something about the absence of lawyers in the Multnomah delegation.

Mattoon, of Douglas, who cast the 46th vote for Mitchell, said he had no apology to make for his action last Saturday night. Others who spoke were: P. P. Mays, Charles H. Carey and Dan Mainstay.

- Andrew C. Smith, Alex Sweek, C. W. Fulton, M. M. Wiley, I. L. Porter, D. M. Watson, J. J. Shipley, Edgar M. Lazarus, C. L. Hedges, G. W. Carey, G. M. Olson, L. T. Peery, John H. Hodson, Dr. J. W. Monroe, John H. Hester, H. Bestman, Charles Holman, J. W. Minto, N. Merrill, J. H. Hodson, J. B. Miller, A. B. Crossman, T. C. Powell, P. A. Worthington, C. A. Burckhardt, W. J. Durham, W. F. Mathews, R. L. Durham, C. W. Nottingham, W. J. D'Arcy, Wm. W. Bannock, L. A. Pike, Raleigh Stott, T. M. Dimmie, Chas. H. Carey, T. E. Smith, J. J. Shipley, A. S. Dresser, H. S. Mount, Henry L. Benson, W. E. Burke, J. A. Roberts, E. N. Crockett, Dr. W. D. McNary, E. N. Crockett, F. O. Burckhardt, A. S. Roberts, A. A. Roberts, Geo. Miller, Grant May, J. H. Johnston, Geo. H. Cattanch, Jacob Proebstel, Charles Mays, Geo. H. Durham, W. R. Ellis, Jacob Proebstel, B. L. Eddy, T. H. Johnston, G. W. Hamilton, Jno. B. Coffey, J. E. Hunt, Dan J. McGill, J. P. Mays, J. P. Kavanaugh, John Driscoll, E. M. Stott, H. A. Smith, Dan J. Mainstay, F. A. Helkner, E. Sichel, C. Morand.

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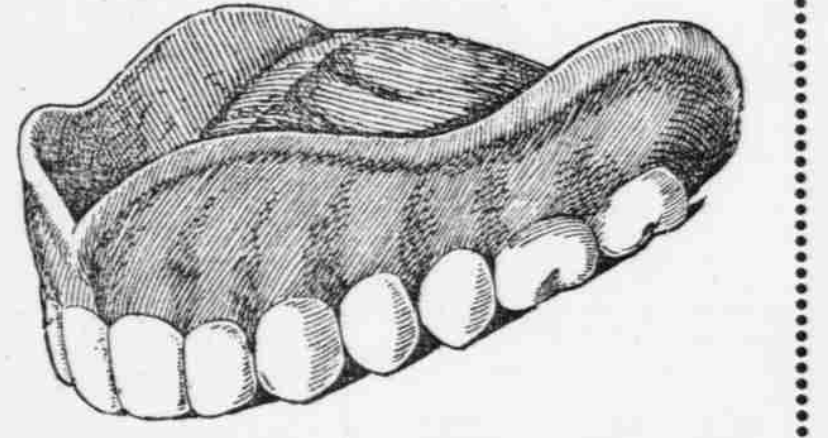
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captionation since Sept. 1, 1900, 31.99 inches; declivity, 2.22 inches; total sunshine Feb. 24, 3:11; possible sunshine Feb. 24, 16:54.

STATIONS.

Table with columns: Station, Wind, Clouds, Rain, etc. Includes locations like Astoria, Baker City, etc.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Cloudy and threatening weather prevails this evening in the North Pacific States, and rain is falling at Spokane, Seattle and along the Straits of Juan de Fuca. It is unusually warm in the states west of the Rocky Mountains. The indications are for occasional rain in this district Tuesday.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for the 25 hours ending at midnight Tuesday, February 26: Portland and vicinity—Cloudy and threatening, with occasional showers; southerly winds. Oregon—Cloudy and threatening, with occasional rain; cooler in southwest portion; southerly winds. Washington and Idaho—Cloudy and threatening, with occasional rain; southerly winds.

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