CHECKS CITY EXPENSES

ORDINANCE FOR REFORM IN MUNI-CIPAL ACCOUNTS.

Council Makes New Regulations fo Bleyclists-Delinquent Taxes to Be Listed.

City accounts will be kept in an update manner and a check will be placed upon municipal expenditures if the or-dinance introduced at the meeting of the Council yesterday and read twice be-

An ordinance regulating the use of bicy-cles and repealing all former ordinances on this subject was passed. A contract for the preparation of a statement of delinquent city taxes from 1888 to 1883 was authorized. The Portland Traction Company was granted a franchise on Burnside street from Pirst to Pifth.

A lengthy and carefully prepared or dinance regulating the payment of city officers and employes, the purchase of supplies for all departments and the payment of demands against the city supplies for all departments and the payment of demands against the city was introduced by Bronaugh, read twice and laid over until next meeting for consideration. It is intended to place a check on the expenditure of city funds. It provides that all city officials and departments shall present monthly estimates of the amount of money they will need and for what purpose. It will put a stop to the practice of holding back bills to make expenditures come within appropriations, as has frequently been done, and enable a proper check to be kept on expenditure of every department of the city government. If it is passed it will so into effect July 1.

An ordinance authorizins the construction of wood and frame buildings, covered on the walls and ro-f with corrugated iron, inside the fire limits on the East Side, provided that such buildings do not exceed 5 feet in length and 20 feet in height, was read twice and referred to the committee on health and police.

An ordinance granting the Portland Tractian Company a franchise to build an electric railway on Burnside street, from First to Fifth, was passed. The company asked for a franchise from First to Washington, but some of the residents on the upper part of Burnside street think it is hardly time for a railroad there, so the ordinance was amended by

think it is hardly time for a railroad there, so the ordinance was amended by the street committee. The change was agreed to by the company. In this connection it may be stated that it is proposed to open and extend Fifth street into North Fifth by cutting about 50 feet off the corner of block 42, thus straightening the street and an ugly curve in the railway at that point. Delinquent Taxes to Be Listed.

Bronnugh introduced an ordinance apinting \$570 for procuring a statement linquest city taxes from 1888 to 1893. and another authorizing the committee on judiciary and elections to enter into a contract for the preparation of the list. Mr. Bronaugh said the ordinances list. Mr. Bronaugh said the ordinances are intended to protect the rights of the city in regard to the law passed by the last Legislature directing that on July I lands which have heretofore been bid on for taxes shall be sold to the highest bidder for cash. He said that if this law is carried out the city will lose nearly all the delinquent taxes, and in order the city will come to the city will be set to the to protect the city immediate action is

Masters asked why the list should not nelude delinquent taxes for years prev-

Bronaugh said it is not worth while to go back beyond ISSS. He thought the city has been as much to blame as the property-owners as the method of checking up delinquent taxes prior to consolidation was very loose, and no one can tell what taxes have been paid and what not. Both of Mr. Bronaugh's ordinances

were passed, and he gave notice that on some future time he will introduce an ordinance to cancel the delinquent taxes

ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of street improvement bonds amounting to about 55000 was passed. New Ordinance on Bicycling.

The following ordinance, regulating the se of bicycles in the streets of Portland, and repealing all former ordinances, was and repealing all former introduced by Nealond: Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any per-

to ride any bloycle on or upon any of the tertiand, except as provided in ordinance No.

Sec. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to ride any bicycle upon, along or across any of the public streets or constructed bicycle paths within the limits of the City of Portland at a greater rate of speed than eight miles per

Sec. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person See. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to rids a bicycle within the limits of the City of Portland unless there shall be attached to such bicycle a gong or bell which can be heard at a distance of not less than 30 feet, and it shall be unlawful for any person to ride any bicycle within the limits of the City of Portland during the night time without carornand during the high time without car-, and displaying in a conspicuous place a light which can be seen at a distance of ess than 30 feet, so placed on said bloycle not less than 30 feet, so pance on said decrease to searn persons of the approach thereof.

Sec. 4. It shall be unlawful for any person to put or place, or cause to be placed, in or upon any errors or bicycle path within the limits of the City of Portland any asbes. ass, crockery, tin, scrapiron, tacks or any her article which will be liable to injure or

other article which will be liable to injure or damage the tires or wheels of bicycles. Sec. 5. It shall be unlawful for any person to lead, ride or drive any domestic animal or animals or any vehicle upon, along or across any bicycle path constructed upon any of the streets or county roads within the limits of the City of Portland, provided, that the pro-visions of this ordinance shall not extend to

purpose of this ordinance is any bicycle, tri-cycle, quad, quint or sextuple ridden by a person or persons without artificial motive

9. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof before the Municipal Court, be pupulshed by a fine not to exceed \$100.

Sec. 10. Ordinances numbered 8561, 9941, 10272, 10346, 10736 and so much of all other ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this dinance are hereby repealed

Secton appeared before the Council with a request for the repeal of Ordi-nance 11248, mentioned in Section 1 of the ordinance. This permits bicyclists to ride on the sidewaiks across the Ladd tract and on the west side of Milwaukie street. Mr. Secton, who lives on Milwaukie street, said the lives of residents there are en-

dangered by reckless acorchers.
R. G. Morrow appeared for the bicyclists and asked that Ordinance 11248 be not repealed entirely so as to revoke the privilege of riding on the sidewalks across the Ladd tract. On motion of Branch, an amendment

an appropriation of \$500 for repairs to the Merrill urged that \$100 more be added in order that the jail might be painted. Holbrook thought the jail is attractive enough, but Merrill carried his point, and 2600 was appropriated and the police will

nance 5855. It prohibits animals and enclosed private grounds in the city, and provides that animals should provides that animals shall not be staked or fastened on unenclosed grounds in such manner that they can reach the sidewalks

bordering such grounds.

To change and establish the grade of Vancouver avenue, from Monroe street to

To repeal ordinance 12,125, providing for opening, laying out and establishing East Burnside street, from Goodsell avenue to the east line of section 26, T. 1 N., R. 1 E.
Making a transfer of \$3000 from the
general fund to the bonded indebtedness

fund for the expense of contagious and

New Street Work Ordered. Ordinances declaring the probable cos of improving streets were passed as fol-Garfield avenue, from Staver to Beech

Street, \$886 96.

Kerby, from Beech to Shaver, \$349 63.

East Morrison, from East Thirty-fourth to East Thirty-second, \$1365 36.

Twenty-fourth, from Savier to St. Helens county road, \$7183 82.

Russel from Brendie to Goldsmith, evine 82. An ordinance declaring the proportion

ate share of the cost of constructing a sewer in Morris street, from Borthwick to Albina avenue, and appropriating 114 75 therefor was passed. An ordinance providing for the time and manner of constructing the Beechstreet newer system was passed.

The following communication was pre-sented by Auditor Deviln: I beg to report to your honorable body that in many instances where street improve are now being made the cost of the imment exceeds the assessed valuation of the ment exceeds the assessed valuation of the Av. as shown by the county assessment roll, but in very numerous instances there are improvements of assessed valuation greatly exceeding the cost of improvements. These persons feel that under a proper interpretation of the law known as the "bonding act" the full value of the property should be the basis in determining their sight to bond improved assessments. I their right to bond improved assessments. It therefore request that your honorable body take the matter under consideration and es-tablish a rule by which I can proceed intelligently and with justice to all parties inter

Referred to committee on judiciary

A communication was presented by City Engineer Chase calling attention to the bad condition of the bridge on East Twelfth street; referred to the street com-

Resolutions directing publication of no-tice for sewers in the following streets were adopted: East Thirty-second, from East Morrison

East Washington, from East Eighteenth to East Sixteenth.
East Ash, from East Twentieth to East

Sixteenth. Union avenue, from Brazee to Schuyler Halsey, from East Sixteenth to East Fifteenth First, from Lowell avenue to Bancroft

Resolutions appointing viewers for ex-tension of Fifth street, East Fifteenth and East Sixteenth streets were adopted. The report of the City Engineer that the line between Albina and East Irvingthe line between Albina and line was re-ton is one and the same line was re-referred to him to ascertain if lot is, in block 2, of Albina, abuts on East Seventh street, or whether there is an unplatted strip of two feet in width between the lot and the street.

A petition for the abatement of an al-A petition for the abatement of an alleged nuisance in the shape of a mattress factory on Vaughn street was referred to the committee on health and police.

A petition asking that Peninsula avenue by pidend marking that Peninsula avenue be widened was referred to the street committee, with a remonstrance against

OFFICIALS FOR FIELD DAY. Prominent Men Chosen to Run Hun

the proposed widening.

Club Meet. kinds, and their choice insures every rider a fair and impartial start, and careful decisions at the finish. The races will be run off after the fashion of regular turf meets, and the rules of the track will be strictly enforced against all comera. If anything, the field day will be run off faster than the average race meeting. President Sabin will be grand marshal, and with the master of hounds, T. T. Strain, will conduct the details of the day, and arrange to have the events move off smoothly and on scheduled time.

The whole meet will be one of the most picturesque ever held in Portland. most picturesque ever held in Portland. From the objects to which the proceeds will be donated, the Baby Home and the will be donated, the Baby Home and the Oregon volunteer monument fund, and the prominence of the riders participating, a crowd of spectators should be drawn that will in itself be a novel sight at a race track meet. The grandstand should be filled with the most representative assembly that has ever been gathered to show its appreciation of the funds to be benefited, as well as to witness one of

present a sprightly appearance, as they are being put through their paces. Tandem driving is one of the most thorough tests of horsemanship for the drivers, who have the difficult task of keeping a steady seat and also of controlling the leader. In the trap show fine vehicles and spirited horses will be shown off, and in

each equipage will ride a party of promi nent society people.

Prize ribbons will be given to all the
withers. Fo. the first place, blue; for
the second place, red, and the third, yel-

CANADIAN PACIFIC.

Special Rate Notice. For the Medical Association meeting, to be held in St. Paul May 26th to June 7th we will sell round trip tickets, good for 80 days, at rate of \$60 00. For the Modwas made to Section 10, the repealing section of the new ordinance, by including. "And so much of Ordinance 1128s as relates to Milwaukie street." This proved satisfactory to all, and the ordinance as amended, was passed.

The City Jail.

The City Jail. 142 Third street.

ST. PAUL'AND RETURN \$60.

Vin the Great Northern Railway. 2630 was appropriated and the police will be happy.

The following ordinances were passed:
Amending sections 1, 2 and 5, of ordinances are passed:
Amending sections 2, 2 and 5, of ordinances are passed:

JEKYLL AND HYDE THIEF

POLICE ARREST A LIGHTNING CHANGE CHINESE BURGLAR.

On the Tugbont He was a Penceable Cook, but on Shore He Stole Other People's Jewelry.

Interest fund.

Making a transfer of \$633 46 from the general fund to the fund for the improvement of Thirteenth street, to provide for the payment of warrants drawn against that fund.

Making a transfer of \$468 22 from the general fund to the street and sewer interest fund, to provide for the payment of interest due on warrants.

Appropriating \$750 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and infertions 4550 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and infertions 4550 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and infertions 4550 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and infertions 4550 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and infertions 4550 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and infertions 4550 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and infertions 4550 out of the general fund for the expense of contagious and insertions and Kerrigan arrested last evening an Americanized Chinese named Mar Chong, who has been leading a double life, nominally as a fat, peace-able cook on a river tugboat, but when on shore masquerading as a desperate bright for the detectives received a description of a willy chink that was making suspiciously lightning changes from a sleek, in the contagion of the general fund to the street and sewer interest fund. of a why china that was making our pictously lightning changes from a sleek, queueless cook in American clothes to a swarthy Oriental with a long braided string of black hair and the flowing garb of his race. Chong, when arrested, an-

SECRETARY CHARTER COMMISSION



Sanderson Reed.

grily protested his innocence in wellmodulated English. "I have not stolen anything, and you do wrong to throw me in jail." he said to the detectives. A search showed that truth was not one

of Chong's strong suits. On his person was found jewelry that the detectives was found jewelry that the detectives knew was stolen from two dwellings several weeks ago. The houses entered by the wily Celestial were those of George Tabler, 347 Couch street, and John Sleight, 288 Kearney street. Chong entered the houses by cutting off the screen of a rear window, breaking the glass, and then raising the sash. Miscellaneous articles of jewelry were taken, such as gold watches, rings, scarfpins, gold nuggets and the like. From the Tabler dwelling private papers and a check book were private papers and a check book were stolen. These were found in Chong's pos-session, conclusively showing his guilt. When confronted with this evidence Chong confessed to the thefts, saying, however, that two men were with him in

the burglary.

The detectives had been looking for a Chinese of Chong's description for several weeks, but his habit of changing his apparel so often and skipping from place to place baffled their efforts until they picked him up in Chinatown last night. picked him up in Chinatown last night. In his possession were also a number of unidentified articles of jewelry, several rings, a gold chain, with a locket marked with the initials "M. M. F.," a fine gold chain, a breastpin, with a light stone, a pair of earrings, a gold nugget pin and a brown leather purse. brown leather purse.

MORE NEW FACTORIES.

One for Working Hard Wood, the Other for Veneering.

Within the next 60 days, perhaps soon-As officials for the field day of the Portland Hunt Club, to be held Saturday afternoon on the Irvington race track, the following well-known men have been chosen: Judges, C. B. Williams, W. F. Burrell and W. W. Cotton; starters, A. H. Tanner and W. D. Wisdom; timekeeper, Sam Casto, the well-known driver and trainer. All these men are noted for their interest in horses and sports of all kinds, and their choice insures every rider a fair and impartial start, and careful started on the plant. Heavy timbers for of East Market street. Work has been started on the plant. Heavy timbers for the foundation of the mill have been placed in position. Part of the old build-ings formerly occupied by the barrel factory will be used for the boiler and en-gine-house. Ash and other Oregon hard wood will be used. There is abundant capital behind the enterprise.

M. L. Holbrook, at the head of the

M. L. Holbrook, at the head of the proposed veneering and basket factory, said yesterday that the company has been organized. Part of the machinery has been ordered and all of it will soon be here. He also said that the site for the factory has not yet been settled. Four sites are under consideration. One is at Linnton and one just below Linnton, on the west side of the river. On the east side of the Williamette a site is offered side of the Willamette a site is offered near the Cone Bros.' saw mill and at St. Johns. The location will be settled shortly. At the start 25 men will ployed, but the plant will be enlarged to

the crossing of said bicycle paths at any street or county road crossing, or any crossings used for the purpose of galning access to a street. See 6. All persons riding bicycles approaching each other shall pass to the right, and all persons riding bicycles overtaking other persons on bicycles overtaking other persons on bicycles shall pass to the left.

See 7. All persons riding bicycles upon or along any of the streets, county roads or constructed bicycle paths within the limits of the City of Portland shall travel on the right, hand side of the street, county road or bicycle paths.

See 8. The definition of a bicycle for the purpose of this ordinance is any bicycle, tricked, aguint or sextuple ridden by a person or persons without artificial motive. will be the prettiest exhibition of the day. In the tandem driving there are eight entries. The horses will appear in the harness, carefully groomed, and will stockholders of the wollen mill, and the city officials. It was necessary to limit the invitations to these because the hall will not hold everybody, and will be crowded as it is. The women of Sellwood have taken hold of the banquet with great enthusiasm, and will outdo their former efforts. A short programme of music at addresses will be given in the hall. An orchestra has been engaged. Remarks will be made by D. M. Donaugh, president of the Sellwood Sub-Board of Trade. Mayor H. S. Rowe, Professor E. D. Cur-tis, Major T. C. Bell, W. P. Olds, presi-dent of the Woolen Mill Company, and others. The banquet will be served in the hall on the first floor.

Ex-Policeman Hudson Here

Ex-Policeman H. M. Hudson, for 34 years on the police force of Portland, is visiting friends on the East Side. He is low a solld farmer near Kalama, and s changed is his appearance, with his long, flowing beard, that even his most intimate friends of former days did not recognize him. He was introduced around as Governor Rogers, of Washington. He said it was a little trying on his nerves to get used to the quiet of country life, especially in the Winter, when the roads get so bad that it is aimost impossible to go anywhere. In his retirement he keeps informed on current events by reading the Sunday and Weekly Oregonian, He remarked that much interest is being displayed in the quartz mines which are being developed near his farm. It is proposed to put in machinery and operate on an extensive scale. His farm contains the same formation, and if the developchanged is his appearance, with his long,

ments prove as rich as expected, he may have a valuable quarts mine right at his door yard.

Sending Boatbuilding Material. contract for building the Government snip some time ago because he suggested that it would be better to get a natural Ore-gon oak crook, in place of one from the East. A San Francisco contractor got the Job, and almost the first thing he did was to send to Supple for a natural Oregon oak crook, which, however, he didn't get, as Supple was too busy to make it. make it

To Open East Thirteenth Street. sidered probable that some of the other streets may be opened through this tract. It is an isolated tract, and cannot be placed on the market unless these streets are opened. Between Milwaukie and East Eighteenth, for seven blocks, there is no street intersecting Powell from the north.

Enst Side Notes.

The elevated roadway on Belmont, be-tween East Eighth and East Ninth streets, is being provided with a new decking. New engines and boilers are being in-stalled in the East Side saw mill on East Water street, and will greatly increase

the services of a policeman to suppress troublesome youngsters. A resident living on East Morrison street, at Sunnyside, says the boys are making the nights hideous with their noise.

Edward Renfer yesterday received some quarts from Cheney Creek, on the Mount Hood road, which assays \$27 in sliver, \$28 in lead and # in gold. It is from the Meinig Bros. This is a new find and only a few feet below the surface. It is thought that when greater depth has been reached the rock will be much bet-

DAILY CITY STATISTICS.

E. Hammond, 50, Elizabeth Me

Building Permits.

W: R. Bishop, two-story dwelling, East Eleventh street; \$2000. Joseph Closset, two-story dwelling. Lovejoy street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-Fifth; \$3500.

Birth Return. May 8.-Girl, to wife of George Rut-ledge, 245 Lincoln street.

St. Vincent's Hospital; diphtheria, May 14.—Julius Buschki, 32 years, St. Vincent's Hospital; tuberculosis.

cer, lot 1, block 10, Pleasant Home, February 28
William Beldt and wife to Anna Renstrom, east half of lot 4, block 27, MrMillen's Addition, May 15, MrMillen's Addition, May 16, Sheriff, for H. C. Stratton et al., to William Reidt, lots 13, 15, 16, 29, block 12; lots 21, 22, 24, block 14; lots 2, 2, 8, 9, 10 and 16, block 19; lot 3,

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

Harris Trunk Co., for trunks and bags.

Health. Newspaper writers have a time of it to get the right kind of food to nourish them. One of this profession who writes for a Boston paper says: "From the first Grape-Nuts Food worked like a charm, My stomach had been falling to digest ordinary food, and my nerves were completely unstrung. I was about to give un work while preparing a series of arup work while preparing a series of ar-ticles for the press, but by a stroke of good fortune they began to feed me on Grape-Nuts. My strength gradually re-turned, nerves became steadler day by day, and I soon found I could do more ffice work with greater ease than ever

"There came to me that feeling of buoy

Joseph Supple, the East Side boatbuild-er, is sending a considerable amount of building material to San Francisco for use in the construction of a boat. The shipment consists of Oregon knees, sawed out by the Johnson mill, east of Lents, on the Foster road. These are stacked up on Belmont street. Mr. Supple will send a four-foot natural-crook oak stem, which will be made in Washington County. He says Oregon has the finest material for boatbuilding, especially oak. He lost the contract for building the Government ship

There are prospects that East Thirteenth street will be opened through the Tibbets property, between Clinton and Powell streets. This property has now passed into the hands of the heirs, and, in order to give it a value, they contemplate opening this street. It is also considered probable that some of the other

C. W. Davis has purchased the Ladru Royal property at Mount Tabor,

Sunnyside people have again asked for

Preparations are being made at the Wil-liams-avenue school for an entertainment in the assembly hall Friday afternoon at 1:30, to pay for the flag recently re-ceived from the East. Rev. H. W. Kel-logg will deliver an illustrated lecture on Our Country.

Dr. Wise has removed to rooms 211, 212 and 213, The Failing, cor. 3d and Wash.

Marriage Licenses.

Coy, 45.
Otto Kutzer, 27, Marie Knecht, 25.
L. C. Weir, 27, Bessie Cloninger, 29.
LeRoy Stringham, 23, Maude M. Greulf,

Death Returns. May 14.—Mabel D. Root, 21 years, 669 Market street; pulmonary tuberculosis. May 15.—Elizabeth Humphrey, 20 years,

Real Estate Transfers. Augusta and Adolf Arfeld to Perry Rosenstein, lot 11, block 35 A, South-ern Portland, subdivision 2; lots 26 and 27, block 5, Wheatland, May 14.3 R. M. Dooly, trustee, to Ada F, Mer-cer, lot 1, block 10, Pleasant Home, February 28 Scott.

Pacific Coast Abstract Guaranty & Trust Co., A. B. Maniey secy.; W. Y. Masters atty. Abstracts, trusts, title insurance, loans, 204-5-6-7 Failing bidg., 3d and Wash.

Special Rate Bulletin. For the Medical Association meeting at St. Paul May 29 to June 7, \$60 for the round trip; tickets on sale May 39, good 60 days. For the Modern Woodmen meeting, St. Paul, June 11, \$60 for the round trip; tickets on sale June 7, good 60 days. For full particulars regarding above, and rates to the Pan-American Exposition, call at Great Northern city ticket office, No. 129 Third street, or address A. B. C. No. 122 Third street, or address A. B. C. Denniston, City Passenger and Ticket

AUTHOR'S SECRET. Food That Brought Back Buoyant

but nearly so. They can be made up in either goldfilled for \$3.50, solid gold \$5, or nickel trimmings for \$2.50. No charge for examination.

Dallas Optical Parlors.

218-19 FAILING BUILDING Third and Washington Streets

Take Elevator

NOT INVISIBLE

Hazelwood Ice Cream

Having recently added to our extensive cream business a modern ice-cream plant, we are now in a position to furnish you with the choicest of ice cream. We believe we can satisfy the most fastidious, and cordially invite a trial order.

HAZELWOOD CREAM CO.

382 WASHINGTON STREET.

CARS TO MOUNT SCOTT

OLD LINE WILL BE ELECTRIFIED THIS SUMMER.

Both 'Phones 154.

Control of the Road Passes to the Portland City & Oregon-Service by July 1,

Residents of Mount Scott district are elated at the assurance that by July 1 the Portland & Mount Scott Railway, between Hawthorne avenue and Lent's Postoffice, will be running as an electri-fied branch of the Portland City & Oregon Raliway Company. The angounce-ment that this would be done was find last evening by F. S. Morris, secretary of the company, formerly known as the

or the company, formerly known as the East Side Railway Company.

Mr. Morris said: "The report is true that the Portland City & Oregon Railway Company will operate the Portland & Mount Scott Railway in the future. The road will be thoroughly overhanded and realized. way Company will operate the Portland & Mount Scott Railway in the future. The road will be thoroughly overhauled and repaired. New thes will be put in and the road will be reballasted. By July 1 it will be electrified and in operation. When the operation of the road was suspended, four months ago, the direct cause was the bad condition in which the road had fallen. The agreement under which the road was operated by our company was also unsatisfactory. It was for, a term of years, and there was no assurance that at the end of that time either a new arrangement could be effected, or the ownership of the road obtained.

"Under the new agreement that has been made, to which the receiver of the road is a party, the Portland City & Oregon Railway Company obtains the ownership of the road, and the property-owners and stockholders of the Mount Scott line have raised between \$1500 and \$2000, with which all the old indebtedness of the line will be cleared up."

2000, with which all the old indebtedness of the line will be cleared up."

The road was planned and built by the property-owners of Mount Scott district, who were anxious to secure good railway service to Portland. When finished, the road was leased to the East Side Railway Company to be operated for a term of years. The residents of that section have suffered great inconvenience slice the service was stopped early in the car service was stopped early in the year. Property has advanced in that region and this was undoubtedly the main reason for the new arrangement, which has the support and ap the leading property-owners of Mount

BUSINESS ITEMS.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth, Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for childres teething. It soothes the child, softens the guma allays all pain, cures wind coile and diarrhoss.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, May 15.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 64; minimum temperature, 50; river reading at 11 A. M., 14.0 feet; change in the past 24 hours, 0.8 foot; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., trace; total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1900, 39.78 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1900, 42.66 inches; deficiency, 2.88 inches; total sunshine May 14, 9:20; possible sunshine May 14, 14:54.

WEATHER CONDITIONS. Light rain has failen along the Oregon and Washington Coasts, and the weather is partly cloudy and threatening in these states east of the Cascade Mountains. It is decidedly cooler the Cascade Mountains. It is decidedly coner in Western Washington, and correspondingly warmer in Southern Idaho. The indications are for showers in this district Thursday, with cooler weather in the eastern portion of this district by Thursday afternoon.

The river at Portland will reach a stage of 15 feet by Thursday noon, 15.8 feet by Friday morning, and probably 16.5 feet by Saturday.

WEATHER FORECASTS. Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Thursday, May 16:
Portland and vicinity—Showers and cooler; south to west winds.
Western Oregon and Western Washington—showers; cooler in Western Oregon.

Showers; cooler in Western Oregon; south to tern Oregon and Southern Idaho-Proba Eastern Oreson and Southern Indiana-bly fair; cooler; westerly winds. Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho-Cloudy and threatening, with probably show ers; cooler; southwesterly winds. EDWARD A. BEALS, Forecast Official.

AMUSEMENTS.

CORDRAY'S THEATER—Week commencing Sunday, May 19, the Legitimate Irish Comedian,
CHAS, ERIN VERNER,
In a Brilliant Repertoire of Irish Plays.
Sunday and Monday nights, "SHAMUS
O'BRIEN."
Tuesday and Wednesday nights, "ARRAH
NA POGUE.
Thursday, Priday nights and Saturday Matince, "THE SHAUGHRAUN."
Usual prices.

FREDERICKSBURG MUSIC HALL— SEVENTH AND ALDER STREETS SEVENTH AND ALDER STREETS
Clarence Mason, triple horizontal bar expert.
THE LYNDONS,
Australia's greatest acrobatic song and dance
team.
ALICE WRENN. Serio-Comic.
FRANK V. SEYMOUR,
The greatest single acrobatic act in profession.
FERIFONIA.
Encode's Cleverest Acrobatic Clows.

Europe's Cieverest Acrobatic Clown.
The Oris Trio-PAT, NELLY, PANNY.
May Nealson, Leondor, Hattle Ward, Luc
Fromwell, all Portland favorites.

NEW TODAY.

CORDWOOD 14 miles from river and rall, near Port and; on good road; no uphili haul. Less than 20 cents a cord. R. M. Wilbur, 233 Stark.

MORTGAGE LOANS improved city and farm property, at lowest rent rates. Building loans. Installment ns. MacMaster & Birrell. 311 Worcester bik.

AUCTION SALES TODAY. At Central Auction Rooms, cor. Alder an Park sts. Sale at 10 A. M. Geo. Baker & Co. At residence, 504 Market st., at 10 o'clock A. M. S. L. N. Gilman, auctionser. At 460 Sixth st., at 10 A. M. J. T. Wilso

MEETING NOTICES.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS AMERICUS LODGE NO. I. meets every Thursday eyen-ing at 8 o'clock, Auditorium Hall. Fraternal invisations extended. J. H. MISSNER, C. C. ED C. CURTIS, K. R. S.

RED MEN, ATTENTION: Trail conight (Thursday) to the wigram of Minnehala. Grand exaltation of five warriors by the new degree team. Corn and ventson: Curling smoke. Long talks. Short talks. A perfect idiosynorasy of delight. Hs. ha! JOS. H. JONES. G. M. ORTON, L. CARSTENSEN, Committee.

WASHINGTON CHAPTER, NO. 18 E. A. M., will need in special convocation this (Thursday) evening at 7:30. Work in M. M. degree. By order of the H. P. C. E. MILLER, Sec.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

ROOT. Friends and acquaintances are respect fully invited to attend the funeral of Mabe D., wife of L. O. Root, which will take plac-from the late residence, 147 Knott at., coda: at 2 P. M. Interment at Lone Fir cometery at J. M. Interment at Lone Fir cemetery. HILGERS-Peter Joseph Hilgers, beloved husband of Mary H. Hilgers, father of Josephine Duimer. Caroline M. Schneider and William F. Hilgers, at the age of 68 years, 10 months, 16 days. Funeral Friday at 9 A. M. from late residence, 135 North 12th et., thence to 8t. Joseph's Church. Interment at Mount Calvary cemetery. Friends invited.

EDWARD HOLMAN, Undertaker, 4th and Yambill sts. Rena Stinson, lady assistant. Both phones No. 507. Finley, Kimball & Co., Undertakers Lady assistant. 275 Third st. Tel. 9

F. S. Dunning, Undertaker, 414 East Alder, Ludy assistant, Both phones.

NEW TODAY. \$2100 WILL BUY THE HEST AND SIGHTLY quarter block in Holladay's Addition; streets improved. J. L. Wells Co., 100 Grand ave. Sheehy Bros., 108 Sixth st.; painting, paper ing and decorating; new designs in tapestr; effects; good work, reasonable prices.

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On improved city and farm property.

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INSIDE PROPERTY. 50x100 and two houses, 128 and 130 lith st. 25x160 and good house, 129 loth st. The above are between Alder and Washing-on sts. Price very low. Can be made to bring good rentals. R. M. WILBUR, 238 Stark st.

MORTGAGE LOANS On Portland real estate at lowest raise. Titles insured. Abstracts furnished. Title Guarantee & Trust Co.

J. W. OGILBEE Room 11, 1451 First Street \$2700 100x100 feet, with modern 8-room residence, and stable, centrally located, in Sunuyaide, close to car line.
\$600 Choice quarter block, 100x100 feet, on 18th and Elisworth sta.
\$1650 Sox100 feet, with good 7 room house, in Stephens' Addition, East Side.

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FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE. IRVINGTON-FINE LOT, 13TH, \$600; SIGHT-ly corner, 190x100, Tillamook and 19th, \$1400; choice lot on Tillamook, \$885. Sold 6, only 4 maps left. See owner, 620 Marquam block.

FOR SALE 4350; HOUSE AND CORNES lot, two blocks from car line; lot 50x100 feat Also 100 acres of land, 4 miles from railroad town of 3000; price \$500. Call 91/2 First st. FOR SALE-LOT 41x58 FEET, WITH SIX-room house; fine view; one block from street-car, two from school. A. Balmanno, 43 Third st., or D. S. Stearns, 240 Washington st. A LARGE LIST OF FARM AND CITY PROPerty, business chances, etc. See us before buying. Canadian Employment and Real Es-tate Office, 2261/2 Morrison, room 16. SEVEN COTTAGES, 5 ROOMS; TWO, 4 one, 7; prices, \$475, \$500, \$950, \$800, \$1000 \$1250, \$1500; installments, 612 Commercial

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it, between Burnside and Couch, Eleris,
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Side price \$1000.
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