WILL LAND IN JAIL

Complete Measures to Spot Illegal Voters.

THE LAW WILL BE INVOKED

Floaters and Hobos Will Have a Hard Time Saturday, if They Try to Cast Their Ballots.

Let fraudulent voters beware! Exhaustive measures are afoot in every precinct in the city to spot them, and if they try to vote Saturday, they will be arrested and prosecuted vigorously. If the hobos and floaters think they can vote with impunity, let them try it.

When the registration books were first opened, it will be remembered, the workers of the machine paid particular attention to the Tenderloin hotels, and hundreds of alleged voters were registered from these places. It was but following out the custom of the machine heelers, who have for years voted all sorts of disreputable and disqualified persons, who could be influenced for a small amount of coin of the realm, or other consideration. From the viewpoint of the boss it was a shrewd move in politics. But the men who worked for the passage of the existing primary law, which was intended to provide honest and fair elections, were determined that the intent of the law should not be violated.

It is not so much that the votes of this element will be a particularly dangerous factor in the result. As a matter of fact, there is an overwhelming sentiment throughout the county that the time has come to put down the powers that have preyed for so long, and the few hundreds of illegal voters who have been registered will not be of sufficient volume to create a balance of power in favor of the machine. Nevertheless, the anti-Simon partisans have taken steps to run down all illegally registered persons, and not only prevent them from casting a ballot in an election for which they are qualified to vote, but they will go further and see that the offenders of the law are arrested and tried. Complaints will be sworn to whenever a violation is detected, and District Attorney Chamberlain has said that he will rigorously and without favor prosecute every case. These are his words, and they ring true:

"You may say in The Oregonian for me that I will prosecute every case for which a complaint is sworn to against persons attempting to vote illegally at the primary election Saturday. It will make no difference what faction or party the accused is allied with. Democrats, Simon men or anti-Simon men, it will be all the same. The law provides for an honest and fair election, and so far as the District Attorney's office can aid to that end, the people may be assured that everything possible will be done."

The law reads as follows:

Any person voting or offering to vote at any such election who would not be qualified to vote in the election precinct at the general election then next ensuing, or who has voted at the primary election of any other political party or association held for the purpose of electing delegates to any convention at which the candidates of the respective parties are to be chosen for the ensuing election, or who shall vote more than once at the same or different polls on the same day at the same primary election, or knowing that he is not a qualified voter at such election, willfully votes or offers to vote at such election, or willfully aids or abets any one not qualified to vote at such primary election in voting or attempting to vote at such, or by offering, or giving, or promising to give, a reward, or bribe, or money or any valuable consideration, either directly or indirectly, to attempt to influence or to influence any voter in giving or withholding his vote at such election, or by bribery, or by corrupt or unlawful means, prevents or attempts to prevent any voter from attending or voting at such election; or if any one places a ballot in any ballot-box in use at such election which has not been regularly voted and permitted to be voted by the judges thereat, or any one concealing, or destroying, or removing any ballot from such ballot-box for the purpose of destroying or altering the same, or changing the result of the election, or for any other purpose except for the purpose of counting such ballots after the polls are closed, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $200, or by imprisonment in the County Jail not less than two nor more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

This is the law, and the Independent Republicans intend seeing that it is obeyed to the letter. An exhaustive and searching investigation of every voter registered is being made, and watchers at the polls Saturday will be in possession of all known facts regarding each voter in the several precincts. Any attempt to cast a ballot illegally will be immediately detected, and summary measures taken to punish the offender. Men who have been registered from Tenderloin hotels will be required to prove that they occupy the same rooms from which they have registered, and that they have occupied them continuously since the time they were herded to the Courthouse to be registered.

If the lack of Simon money in the betting is an indication, the storm of protest against the machine is going to be a groundswell, the like of which has never before been seen here. With the exception of a few scattering bets for small amounts which have been made from time to time, there is no Simon money in sight, though as good as two to one has been offered that the Simon list of delegates, which was filed by the County Central Committee, will be beaten at the polls. Other bets have been offered that Simon will not control the county convention, and will not elect his chairman of that body, but no takers could be found.

FOR SOUTH PORTLAND "GYM"

Altar Guild of Temple Beth Israel Will Give Bazaar Today.

The youngsters of South Portland are to have a gymnasium for their exclusive use, if the women of the Altar Guild of the Temple Beth Israel can raise the necessary funds, and they have started out with a determination to accomplish that result. Today an entertainment and bazaar will be given in Concordia Hall, entrance to which will be on the Alder-street side, and large crowds are invited and expected, both afternoon and evening. A splendid programme of musical numbers and other features has been prepared under the supervision of Mrs. Rose Bloch Bauer, and there will be booths of all descriptions where one can buy anything from candy to cigarettes. Not only will the wares be attractive, but pretty girls and young matrons will preside, and with the purchases will give smiles that will be lures to bring the buyer back again as long as his money holds out.

It is a serious purpose that has moved the women of the Altar Guild to attempt to raise funds. They propose not only to provide for the physical training of the youth of South Portland, but for their moral training as well. "The Six Little Wives" song and chorus from "San Toy," the sextet from "Florodora," the "Pickaninny Song" from "The Runaway Girl," these will be the features of the programme, at the conclusion of which dancing will follow. The patronesses for the event are Mesdames Stephen S. Wise, Solomon Hirsch, Ben Selling, Ludwig Levy, Levi White, Charles Lauer, Anna Newman, Ralph Jacobs, Jacob Bloch, R. Bernstein and I. White. The officers of the Altar Guild are: President, Miss Henryette Lauer; vice-president, Miss Frances Jacobs; secretary, Miss Clementine Hirsch; treasurer, Miss Meta Levy.

BUSHEY TO ODELL.

His Fire Is Directed at Governor Geer and No One Else.

SALEM, March 10.—(To the Editor.)—I notice in The Oregonian of the 8th inst. that Governor Geer's Land Agent, W. H. Odell, is endeavoring to detract the attention of the public from the Governor's misconduct to himself. This he cannot be permitted to do, as I have never mentioned his name except as the Land Agent of the Governor, whom the Governor has suffered to make thousands of dollars to the detriment of the school fund of the state. Neither Odell nor the Governor denies that he has been receiving from $1 to $1.75 per acre for furnishing "base lands" to enable timber land speculators and others, most of whom it is confessed are non-residents of the state, to gobble up the best timber lands during the Governor's administration at the nominal price of $2.50 per acre, when the Governor himself confesses that these same lands are easily worth $10 per acre, and could have been sold for that sum, and thus added hundreds of thousands of dollars to our state school fund, if Mr. Geer, as Governor, had followed the plain directions of the statute. In my former letters I have quoted the law and stated the facts which warrant these conclusions, and the Governor has confessed both.

Now comes the Governor's land agent, Odell, and proposes that a committee be appointed to investigate his (Odell's) dealings and doings in these school land matters. What for? It is plain he wishes to detract public attention from the Governor's inefficiency and mismanagement concerning the sale of "lieu" school lands, to the examination of the question as to how many thousand dollars he (Odell) has received from school land grabbers during the past three years. He assumes to want a committee appointed to investigate himself, and suggests that I be permitted to act as one of the committee at $5 per day.

His proposition is plainly insincere and mere buncombe, made for the purpose of hoodwinking the good people of the State of Oregon into the belief that no frauds or school land "grafts" have been perpetrated during Geer's administration. I do not propose to enter into any such controversy with Mr. Odell, when both he and the Governor admit that a large number of these land grabbers are non-residents of our state and foreigners, whose testimony could not be obtained without much trouble, and when, if at all obtained, would serve no purpose except to show the amount of money paid by timber speculators to Odell, and as Mr. Odell certainly has all this information within his own knowledge, it is plain to be seen that an investigating committee is entirely unnecessary.

In closing permit me to appoint Land Agent W. H. Odell a committee of one to inform the public through The Oregonian of the number of acres of "base lands" which he has furnished to various and sundry parties during Mr. Geer's administration, and the amount per acre which he has received therefor.

W. M. BUSHEY.

TO THE ADVERTISER.

"A Reader" Complains Because Locations Are Not Given.

PORTLAND, March 11.—(To the Editor.)—I have been reading the advertisements appearing in your paper, and find one great fault with them. To strangers, a great many of them, at least, are very defective, omitting one important detail, viz, the number and street of the business advertised. To those who have resided here a number of years, and are well acquainted with the old-established firms in the city, this negligence on the part of advertisers is of little significance, but business men who wish to reach as many purchasers as possible through the medium of newspapers should bear in mind that a great portion of the population of all cities, particularly here in the West, are of the transient order, but are buyers and bargain-hunters, as well as those who reside here. On reading an "ad"—that is, many of them—a nonresident is compelled to make inquiries as to where such and such a firm is located, and then he may be obliged to search half an hour or so in vain before he really finds the place to which he desires to go. It certainly would prove of great convenience to the public generally if the address should accompany the "ads" of the various firms which patronize your columns. When this omission is made a great many purchasers do not take the trouble to hunt them up by the tedious and embarrassing process of diligent inquiry.

I enjoy reading advertisements almost as well as I do the Associated Press reports, particularly in a city where I am but little acquainted, and your editorial of recent date calling attention to the fact why professional men such as doctors, dentists, lawyers, etc., do not advertise, met with the views, I think, of nine-tenths of the reading public. Doctors and lawyers who do not publish their prices are withholding from the public information which the latter would gladly like to have and are entitled to. When the work is performed the "professional" man does not hesitate to set an exorbitant price, but if you ask him to make his charges for various kinds of work public by patronizing the columns of a newspaper, he will cast a withering look upon you and fairly hiss that it is "unprofessional." The same is true of the greater number of lawyers, but the most of them are adepts at extracting fat fees for something that almost any one with average intelligence is capable of doing.

A READER.

Will of Alfred Booth.

CHICAGO, March 11.—The will of Alfred Booth, which disposes of property worth $2,000,000, has been filed in the Probate Court. Mr. Booth, it is said, was in the habit of making a will every year before taking a trip abroad. Alice Gaylord, a daughter, is to receive the home at 1638 Michigan avenue, and 2250 shares of preferred stock of A. Booth & Co.; Alfred E. Booth is to receive 2250 shares of the same stock. Other bequests are: Ten-thousand-dollar life insurance policy to Mrs. Isabella Barnum, and 250 shares of preferred stock; to C. S. Norris, 250 shares of common stock; to J. Reid, 250 shares of preferred stock; to William Vernon Booth, pictures and furnishings in the home. The sons are residuary legatees.

Missionary Troubles in Bolivia.

LIMA, Peru, March 11.—A dispatch from La Paz, Bolivia, says that trouble between the American missionaries and the local clergy there is exciting the populace.

The Quickest Cough Eradicator.

From the Shortsville (N. Y.) Enterprise.

This is the month that one takes cold so easily and quickly—secures that "hacking" cough, which is so persistently disagreeable, as we know by personal experience. And we also know that the quickest eradicator of such cough has been Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and which has been our stanch standby for several years. This is no paid "puff," but merely a just recognition of an invaluable remedy for coughs, colds and all lung affections, and, like the editor, it has scores of other stanch friends in this town. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

CHILD CLINGS TO FATHER

"I LIKE PAPA BEST," SAYS 4-YEAR-OLD RAYMOND MEYER.

Candy, Nickels and Wagon Won His Heart—Judge Frazer Decides Boy Must Stay With Mother.

Four-year-old Raymond Meyer told Judge Frazer yesterday that he wanted to live with his father, instead of his mother, because his father gave him candy and nickels and bought him a wagon and was good to him. Henry Meyer, a saloon-keeper, was before the court on contempt proceedings in not obeying an order previously made to surrender the custody of the child to the mother, Anna Meyer, pending the trial of a divorce suit brought by Mrs. Meyer against her husband. Mrs. Meyer filed an affidavit several days ago reciting that her husband kept the little boy in his saloon and refused to give him up to her. Meyer was arrested on a warrant charging him with contempt of court, and the child was given to his mother.

At the hearing yesterday Mrs. Meyer testified that her husband drank to excess and encouraged the child to swear at her and otherwise to behave improperly, and also won him over by giving him candy, nickels and other presents.

Anna Meyer, a daughter of the parties, testified that her father was addicted to the excessive use of intoxicants, and corroborated the evidence of her mother in other respects.

Meyer testified that his wife was not a proper person to care for Raymond, as she whipped him unnecessarily.

Judge Frazer had the little boy brought to him, and asked if he wanted to go with his father or mother.

"I like papa best," the little fellow answered, "because he gives me nickels and buys me wagons."

Then he started to go to his father.

"Let the boy go to his father," said Judge Frazer. Mrs. Meyer released her hold upon him, and Raymond went and sat with his father until the case was closed.

Judge Frazer in summing up the case said the fact was undisputed that Meyer came home occasionally intoxicated and taught the boy to swear. He was good to the child, but was overindulgent, and the mother was probably right in trying to correct him and bring him up as a good boy. The child's affections could easily be won by feeding him candy and buying him toys.

The court said the showing as to the mother was not altogether satisfactory. She might be too severe with the child and somewhat harsh, but he did not seem to be afraid of her, and for the present it was ordered that he remain in her custody.

Raymond clung to his father, refusing to leave him, but finally was persuaded to go with his mother, who promised him candy if he would be good.

The contempt proceeding against Meyer was not pressed, and probably will be dismissed later on.

DO YOU INTEND TO REGISTER?

The time is short. Two days more.

The registration books will close tomorrow (Thursday) night at 10 o'clock. If you are not registered by that time you will not be able to vote at the primary election Saturday. The issues have been clearly put before the people. It is the Simon machine and Boss rule vs. good government and an honest administration. Which do you want? If you are in earnest in protesting against ring dictation, see to it that you register today. If you wait until tomorrow, the crowd may be too large.

Register today!

ESTATE OF WILLIAM HONEYMAN.

Final Accounts Filed Show Receipts to Be $218,750.

The final account of Thomas D. Honeyman, executor of the will of William Honeyman, deceased, was filed in the County Court yesterday. The receipts amounted to $218,750, the principal item being $213,750 received for the sale of 1900 shares of stock in the Honeyman Hardware Company to Jane C. Honeyman. The disbursements amounted to $137,135, of which $88,540 was paid to the Honeyman Hardware Company and $43,596 to Jane C. Honeyman on a note and mortgage. The Children's Home, Good Samaritan Hospital, Calvary Presbyterian Church and St. Andrew's Society each received $500, and there were numerous bequests to relatives. The real estate is appraised at about $70,000. Miscellaneous personal property is valued at $3700.

By the terms of the will the property is bequeathed to Jane C. Honeyman, the wife, during the term of her natural life, and at her death in equal shares to the children, Thomas D., James D., Walter B., David T., and Etta J. Honeyman, share and share alike.

CHARGES CRUEL TREATMENT.

Mrs. Sarah M. Phillips Sues Her Husband for Divorce.

Sarah M. Phillips has commenced suit in the State Circuit Court against Matthew Phillips for a divorce, because of cruel treatment. They were married in Portland October 6, 1898. Mrs. Phillips sets forth in her complaint that her husband has frequently called her vile names in the presence of her daughter by a former marriage. She says Phillips beat her in a frightful manner in the Spring of the year 1900, fracturing two of her ribs.

On March 7, 1902, Mrs. Phillips charges that her husband knocked her down and pulled her around the room by the hair of the head. She alleges that she is afraid of him and that he has made threats against her life several times.

CARR MUST PAY UP.

Unless He Gives His Wife $130 Alimony He May Go to Jail.

Robert Carr, a farmer living at Holbrook, was informed by Judge Frazer yesterday that if he does not pay his wife, Mabel Carr, $130 alimony and attorney's fees within five days' time he will probably be locked up in jail for contempt of court.

Mrs. Carr is suing her husband for a divorce, and the order that he pay alimony and attorney's fees was made by the court some time ago. Carr paid no attention to it.

JUSTICE FOR MOUNT TABOR.

County Court Appoints Charles H. Welch—E. Wise Is Constable.

The County Court has appointed Charles H. Welch Justice of the Peace for Mount Tabor District, and E. Wise Constable. They will work under the fee system.

The appointments were made at the request of numerous citizens in that vicinity, who say that there is a disorderly element which needs to be kept in check.

TO FORECLOSE $450,000 MORTGAGE.

New York Life Insurance Company Wins in Judge Sears' Court.

In the suit of the New York Life Insurance Company against the Chamber of Commerce to foreclose a mortgage for $450,000 on the Chamber of Commerce building, Judge Sears yesterday rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff. Williams, Wood & Linthicum, attorneys for the plaintiff, ask an attorneys' fee of $10,000, and this matter was taken under advisement by the court.

The building will be sold after it has been advertised the required length of time.

VERSTEEG LOSES SUIT.

Cannot Recover $713 From Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kern.

In the suit of John Versteeg against J. H. Kern and Josephine Kern to apply part of $4000 in the possession of Josephine Kern in settlement of a judgment for $713 held by Versteeg against J. H. Kern, a jury in Judge Cleland's court yesterday returned a verdict in favor of the defendants.

Primary Day No Holiday.

There has been some discussion whether primary day is a legal holiday, but the statute is plain on the subject and provides "that every day on which an election is held throughout the state" shall be a legal holiday. Primary day is confined to Portland only, and therefore does not come within the provisions of this section of the code. It will, however, in most of the public offices and courts be a holiday to all intents and purposes.

Decision by Judge Bellinger.

In the United States Court this morning Judge Bellinger will announce a decision in the case of the Pacific States Loan & Building Company vs. Lizzie Greene and others. Complainant is one of the companies which make loans to subscribers to their stock on a plan of payments in installments. There are other suits of a similar nature pending in the court, and this decision will be of considerable interest to a good many people.

Nonsuit in Damage Case.

Judge Frazer granted a non-suit yesterday in the action of Alfred Robinson against the Taku Fishing Company for $10,000 damages for a broken leg. The court found that the evidence showed that the defendant was not to blame for the accident. Robinson with others was engaged in building a wharf, and was struck by a falling pile.

Decision by Judge Cleland.

Judge Cleland will announce a decision this morning in the case of Eugene Froesner vs. M. Epstein, on merits.

Court Notes.

R. W. Wilbur has sued A. J. and Clara E. Sutherland to recover $410 on a note.

Jennie Belcher has filed suit against Sarah J. West et al., to foreclose a mortgage on lots 3 and 4, block 16, Kenilworth.

The divorce suit of Sarah Mash vs. Henry Mash was dismissed by Judge Frazer yesterday, on motion of plaintiff's attorney.

David A. Otto, George W. Mosher, Nathan Weinstein and James Belleter were admitted to citizenship by Judge Sears yesterday.

George T. Myers has filed an attachment suit against H. Hildebrand to recover $70 rent for premises at the corner of Third and Salmon streets.

The inventory and appraisement of the estate of Ellen Thielsen, deceased, was filed in the County Court yesterday. The property is valued at $5286.

Selvia Knight was appointed in the County Court yesterday administratrix of the estate of her father, N. B. Knight, deceased, valued at $600. She and Portia and Winter M. Knight are the heirs.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. T. T. Geer is in the city, en route from a visit with relatives in Astoria to Salem.

L. C. Dillman, of Seattle, who is at the Portland, is a well-known mining operator and promoter.

H. T. Hendryx, a prominent mining man of Baker City, is in the city on business, and is at the Imperial.

Mrs. A. A. Finch, a well-known society woman of Astoria, is at the Portland. Mrs. Finch is the wife of a leading physician of Astoria.

J. H. D. Gray, of Astoria, who is at the Imperial, is County Judge of Clatsop County, and is prominent in Republican politics of the county.

F. A. Seufert, the well-known cannery-man, and his son, Arthur, of The Dalles, are in the city on a business trip, and are guests at the Imperial.

B. L. Eddy, Representative at the last session of the Legislature from Tillamook County, is in the city, en route home from Salem, where he has been on legal business.

Master Fish Warden H. G. Van Dusen, of Astoria, who is at the Imperial, was in conference yesterday with his deputy, Henry Bultman, who has been stationed here.

F. C. Robertson, of Spokane, who is at the Imperial, is a well-known lawyer, and is author of a bill to be introduced at this session of Congress, creating a commission to have charge of improvements on the Columbia and its tributaries.

F. Lewis Clark, of Spokane, who is at the Portland, is a prominent capitalist of the Western Washington metropolis, and is actively engaged in promoting immigration to and development of the Inland Empire.

Martin Conrad, who is at the Portland, is president of the Illinois State Board of Agriculture, and is prominent in business and political circles in Chicago. Mr. Conrad is on a pleasure trip to the Pacific Northwest, and will remain in Portland for several days.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Northwestern people registered at New York hotels as follows:

From Portland—C. J. Matz, at the Herald Square.

From Spokane—H. G. Cole, at the St. Denis.

From Tacoma—F. Mahncke, at the Astor.

From Seattle—J. Bernstein, at the Navarre; H. F. Thomas and wife, at the Manhattan.

Street-Car Passengers Scalded.

NEW YORK, March 11.—A Madison-avenue electric car on which were almost 100 persons, has met with a peculiar accident. About 50 of the passengers were injured, none of them seriously. A new building is in course of erection at Forty-fourth street and Madison avenue, at which a portable hoisting engine is used, the engine being in the street. It stood close to the track. The motorman stopped the car as he approached, and the engineer told him to wait until he could move the machine.

The car conductor thought there was room to pass, and ordered the motorman to proceed. This he did, and the car shaved off a valve which extended from the boiler. The suddenly released steam broke the windows in the side of the car next to the engine and covered the passengers, scalding them on hands and faces. Others were bruised by being crushed and thrown to the ground during the ensuing panic.

Football Manager's Report.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, EUGENE, March 11.—The financial report of Charles A. Redmond, '02, manager of the 1901 football team, made public yesterday, shows receipts of $2023 80, and expenditures of $1752 40. This leaves a balance on hand of $271 40, which will be turned into the treasury of the Associated Students and which will assist materially in defraying the expenses of other student enterprises.

For Sprains—Use Salva-cea.

Speedily relieves pain and soreness. Keep it handy for burns, bruises, bites, earache, cold in head, catarrh and all irritations of the skin. It cures piles. Price, 25c and 50c, at druggists' or by mail. Salva-cea, 274 Canal st., N. Y.

Dyspepsia makes you nervous, and nervousness makes you dyspeptic; either one renders you miserable. Carter's Little Liver Pills cure both.

ROSES FOR THE '05 FAIR

AN OREGON PRODUCT THAT WOULD BEAT THE WORLD.

Suggestion That Their Display Be Made a Feature—Lewis and Clark Committee Meets.

A batch of miscellaneous communications took up most of the time of the board of directors of the Lewis and Clark corporation, at its first monthly meeting, held yesterday afternoon. Most of them were simply filed. H. W. Scott and W. D. Wheelwright were appointed a committee to act with the secretary in the selection of a design for the stock certificates. These directors, who had previously been appointed a committee to select a design for the corporate seal, also submitted a rough outline for that device, and were instructed to have it completed according to suggestions.

Director Mallory called attention to the desirability of having something distinctive for the Lewis and Clark celebration, and suggested an appropriate display of roses. He said the idea had been suggested to him, and he deemed it a matter of great importance. He thought there should be a large field of roses, of the very finest that Oregon can produce, as a leading feature of the Exposition. To give the ground the proper cultivation and get the bushes in condition to do their best for the fair, he thought it important that the selection of a site should not be deferred too long. He did not care to press for action at this time, but brought the subject before the board, in order that the directors should have it in mind and be ready to act when the proper time should arrive. Others were of similar opinion.

Director Devers said a 10-acre field of roses would not be too much. It was finally discovered that the matter of arranging for the grounds came properly within the duty of the executive committee of the corporation, which had not yet been appointed. In view of this and other matters to come before that committee, it was deemed desirable that the committee be appointed before filling the board of directors, and President Corbett said he would announce the committee.

Postmaster Croasman reported that the First Assistant Postmaster-General had refused the application for permission to advertise the Lewis and Clark Fair in the cancelling stamp of the Portland Postoffice. He also said that he had taken the matter up with Senator Mitchell, who would present the application direct to the Postmaster-General, and better results were hoped for.

Among the communications was one from Consul H. B. Miller, suggesting that the Lewis and Clark authorities take some action toward arranging for a display of Oregon wares at an exposition to be held in 1903 at Osaka, Japan. Inasmuch as the funds subscribed for the Lewis and Clark celebration cannot be diverted to any such purpose, the communication was referred to the Chamber of Commerce.

Horace J. Smith, of Germantown, Pa., wrote to suggest that the Liberty bell be brought across the Continent, to form an attraction for the Lewis and Clark celebration.

Charles Menges, of Peck, Idaho, desires to have charge of a display of wild animals at the fair.

Andrew Kan & Co. applied to have exclusive sale of a Lewis and Clark flag, which they suggested to be manufactured and put on the market.

Miss Mattingly asked the privilege of putting forth a march of her own composition, dedicated to the Lewis and Clark celebration. This was referred to Directors Wessinger and Wheelwright.

A dozen advertising propositions were received. The consensus of opinion among the directors was that it is now too early to begin miscellaneous advertising.

Several letters were received, recommending Albert Tozier for press superintendent of the Exposition.

Miss Edith N. Niles offered 100,000 Lewis and Clark folders for $350. It was voted to buy 10,000 for $55, on condition that Miss Niles should waive her copyright for such of these as should be sent to the annual meeting of the National Press Association, the idea being that the members of that association should be free to use the whole or any part of the matter of this circular in their papers, if they should choose to do so, in noticing the Lewis and Clark enterprise.

A French bandmaster applied for an engagement to supply music for the celebration.

C. N. Scott suggested the propriety of getting ironclad agreements from transportation companies, hotelkeepers and landlords, not to raise charges on account of the Lewis and Clark celebration. This letter was referred to Director Scott.

A number of other letters were filed, and the secretary was instructed to make courteous response.

President Corbett said he had received an application from a committee of the Ministerial Association, for representation on the advisory committee, but that it had reached him too late for consideration when that committee was selected. The ministers desired to have a headquarters at the Exposition, for the reception and entertainment of religious bodies. The chair thought it might be well to have a minister on the advisory committee, or on the board of directors, and by consent of the board he said he would answer that the request should have proper attention.

The by-laws were formally adopted, and the action of the president in appointing the committee on ways and means and the advisory committee was approved. Secretary Reed was authorized to let the contract for the stock ledgers, four of the printing houses of Portland having bid $100 each for the work.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, March 11.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 57; minimum temperature, 45; river reading at 11 A. M., 8.7 feet; change in the past 24 hours, —0.4 foot; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.02 inch; total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 30.01 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 34.63 inches; deficiency, 4.62 inches; total sunshine March 10, 0:00; possible sunshine March 10, 11:36.

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

STATIONS.	Max. temp.	Precipitation last 12 hours.	Wind. Velocity.	Wind. Direction.	State of weather.
Astoria	32	0.02	*	NW	Cloudy
Baker City	48	0.00	*	SE	Clear
Bismarck	46	0.00	*	N	Clear
Boise	50	**	*	NW	Clear
Eureka	52	0.00	20	N	Clear
Helena	44	0.00	12	SW	Pt. cloudy
Kamloops, B. C.	56	0.00	*	SE	Cloudy
Neah Bay	48	0.01	*	SW	Cloudy
Pocatello	46	0.00	8	SW	Clear
Portland	57	0.00	*	SW	Pt. cloudy
Red Bluff	68	0.00	14	N	Clear
Roseburg	60	0.00	*	NW	Clear
Sacramento	66	0.00	10	NW	Clear
Salt Lake	44	**	8	NW	Cloudy
San Francisco	64	0.00	14	W	Clear
Spokane	54	0.00	10	SW	Pt. cloudy
Seattle	52	0.02	6	S	Cloudy
Walla Walla	58	0.00	8	S	Clear

*Light. **Trace.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

No rain of consequence has fallen in the North Pacific States during the last 24 hours, and the temperatures are mild and seasonable. The indications are for fair weather in this district Wednesday, except in Northwest Oregon and Western Washington, where showers will continue.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Wednesday, March 12:

Portland and vicinity—Showers; southwesterly winds.

Western Oregon—Probably fair in the south, showers in the north portion; southwesterly winds.

Western Washington — Showers; southerly winds.

Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Idaho—Fair; westerly winds.

AUCTION SALES TODAY.

At residence, 914 Corbett st. Sale at 10 A. M. Take "S" car. Geo. Baker & Co., auctioneers.

At 182 First st., at 10 A. M. Ford & Laws, auctioneers.

MEETING NOTICES.

UPCHURCH LODGE, NO. 126, A. O. U. W.—A full attendance is requested at our regular meeting tonight. Work in both degrees. Official visit of Grand Master Hogue, of Albany. Legion of Honor and Supreme Lodge Committee will also report upon the plans formulated by them for the entertainment of the Supreme Lodge next June. Your presence is necessary to aid us in carrying out the plans. Visiting brothers welcome.

SAM WAGNER, Chairman Com.

WASHINGTON CHAPTER, NO. 18, R. A. M., will meet in regular convocation this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. All R. A. M.'s invited.

C. E. MILLER, Sec.

SAMARITAN LODGE, NO. 2, I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. Initiation and second degree. Visitors welcome.

M. OSVOLD, Sec.

CORINTHIAN CHAPTER, NO. 54, O. E. S. — Regular meeting this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. By order of W. M.

ELIZABETH KISSELL, Sec.

BRITISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.—Regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock, the usual place.

JOHN LATTA, Sec.

EDWARD HOLMAN, Undertaker, 4th and Yamhill sts. Rena Stinson, lady assistant. Both phones No. 507.

J. P. FINLEY & SON, Undertakers. Lady assistant. 275 Third st. Tel. D.

CLARKE BROS., 289 Morrison St. Fine flowers and floral designs.

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HAM AND EGGS

Everybody can eat ham and eggs.
Best sugar-cured ham ... 12½c
Fresh ranch eggs ... 15c
Best creamery butter ... 60c
Good creamery butter ... 50c, 55c
Full cream cheese ... 12½c, 15c
Swiss cheese ... 20c, 25c
Limburger, each ... 25c
Arbuckle's coffee ... 10c

LA GRANDE CREAMERY, 264 Yamhill.

STOCK FARM FOR SALE.

Wm. M. Ladd, executor of the Estate of Hannah M. Smith, deceased, will sell at public auction for cash, at the Court House door, on Thursday, the 13th day of March, 1902, that fine stock farm, known as Sandy Ranch, at Fairview, in Multnomah County, Oregon, consisting of about one thousand acres, all under fence; railroad station upon the land; 12 miles East of Portland.

Particulars and maps of the land may be had of Milton W. Smith, room 413 Failing building.

Cities Build Down Stream

All great cities on navigable streams start at the head of navigation and build down stream. This rule has no exception. The railroad to St. Johns opens the way for Portland to follow the rule. There will soon be a solid city to the point of the Peninsula and University Park will be the center of wealth and culture of all the city between the rivers. Nobody will dispute this statement. If you are a stranger here step into any place of business and ask, "What is the course of the business growth of this city?" The answer will be as above stated. Now is the time to get a few lots at University Park while they are yet cheap. We have Columbia University, Portland public schools, Bull Run water, street cars, homes costing from $1000 to $10,000, graded boulevards, graded streets, sidewalks, electric street lights. Lots $75 to $200 each. Terms, $5 cash and $5 monthly. No interest, no taxes, no shanties, no saloons. Abstract with each deed.

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151 Sixth St., near Morrison

WIFE'S INGENUITY

Saves Her Husband.

The author of the "Degeneration of Dorothy," Mr. Franklin Kinsella, 226 W. 25th St., New York City, was the victim of a little by play, but he can best tell the story himself: "I must confess that I have been the victim of an innocent deception, which turned out all for the best, however.

"I had been resting under the belief for some years that coffee served as a lubricant to my cerebral convolutions, in other words, 'made the wheels go round,' and I had an idea that I could not work without it as a stimulant.

"I soon paid the penalty in nervousness, loss of flesh, insomnia and restlessness, none of which troubles would yield to any or all medicines. I finally got in rather a bad way and my wife took a hand in the affair all unknown to me. She purchased a package of Postum Coffee and first gave me one-half Postum and one-half coffee. In a little time she had me down to clear Postum, and I was none the wiser.

"I noticed that I was getting better, my nerves were steadier, and I began to gain flesh and sleep nights. My work was performed far better than in my old condition.

"Commenting upon my greatly improved health one morning, I was told the truth. 'Tis to laugh,' so I submitted gracefully and joined the Postum ranks.

"Experience teaches that boiling is one-half the game. When the directions are carried out the result will be as fine a cup of rich, fragrant coffee as ever delighted the senses without ruining the nerves."

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"Rooms," "Rooms and Board," "Housekeeping Rooms," "Situations Wanted," 15 words or less, 15 cents; 16 to 20 words, 20 cents; 21 to 25 words, 25 cents, etc. No discount for additional insertions.

UNDER ALL OTHER HEADS except "New Today," 30 cents for 15 words or less; 16 to 20 words, 40 cents; 21 to 25 words, 50 cents, etc.—first insertion. Each additional insertion, one-half; no further discount under one month.

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EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK AND SATURDAY MATINEE.
MISS JESSIE SHIRLEY
And her own company, presenting, with special scenery and elegant costumes, a fine repertoire of Farces, Comedies and Dramas.
TONIGHT—"DAD'S GIRL"—TONIGHT
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Thursday, "The Two Orphans." Friday, "Camille." Saturday, "A Young Wife," and Saturday Matinee, "The Farmer's Daughter."
USUAL PRICES—25c and 50c.

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SEE THE GREAT DU BELL.
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THE LAMONTS.
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THE LASKYS.
THE DERANDOS.
LOUISE WILLIS.
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Prices—Matinee, 10c, 15c, 25c; evening, 15c, 25, 35c, 50c. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

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FOUR-ROUND BOXING EXHIBITION
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Between TOM TRACEY, Champion Welterweight of the World, and MARTIN DENNY, Champion of Australia.
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TO LOAN—$1800 ON RESIDENCE PROPERTY at 6 per cent. Room 59 McKay building.

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Stop Paying Rent and Interest
We will pay off the mortgage on your home or farm, and give you 16 years and 8 months to return the money at the rate of $5.50 per month, without interest. Contracts are assignable. THE AMERICAN HOME CO., OFFICE 511 MARQUAM BLDG. Open evenings till 8 o'clock. Agents wanted.

BUY YOUR SUGAR NOW.
Best dry granulated sugar, $4.35 sack; half sack, or 50 lbs., $2.20; quarter sack, or 25 lbs., $1.10; 6 lbs. small white beans, 25c; 7 lbs. bayou beans, 25c; 5 lbs. Lima beans, 25c; 30 bars Cudahy's C soap, $1; best hams, 13c; lard, in bulk, 10c lb.; 12 lbs. prunes, 25c. Call and get our price list. Oregon Cash Grocery, 234 North 14th.

RENTS GO HIGHER.

Get a home. Save rent. We will furnish the lots at University Park and build you a house to suit for one-fifth cash, balance monthly. If you join our co-operative series you can get a home for $5 cash and $5 monthly, and for $25 cash and $15 monthly you can get a 5 room cottage, and excellent barn and 75x100 feet of ground. Take your choice. Portland Home-building Co., 151 Sixth street, near Morrison.

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FOR SALE—ELEGANT 9-ROOM HOUSE, AI condition; corner lot, improved street; one block 10-minute car, two blocks public school. A bargain; easy terms.
$2500 will buy a 9-room house, modern in every respect, on East Sixth st., near Burnside st.; will rent for $25 per month. Excellent investment.
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