

TO HONOR DEAD CAPTAIN

FUNERAL SERVICES OF EDWIN H. FRANCIS TO BE HELD TODAY.

He Was Prominent Official of Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Authority on Alaskan Navigation.

The remains of Captain Edwin H. Francis, an official of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, and nephew of a former editor of The Oregonian, will reach this city today from Seattle, and will be buried in Riverside cemetery. The services will be held from the residence of Byron Z. Holmes at 10 o'clock this morning, and will be conducted by Rev. T. L. Elliot. The pallbearers will be Carl Spahn, George T. Myers, George T. Myers, Jr., R. M. Townsend, Captain W. P. Davis, U. S. A.; George W. Weidner, John Kelly and H. L. Pitcock.

For a quarter of a century Captain Francis was the acknowledged authority on navigation in Alaskan waters, and he has rendered valuable aid to the United States Government because of his knowledge in this direction. His death, which



Late Captain Edwin H. Francis.

occurred in his apartments in a Seattle hotel, Tuesday, was due to Bright's disease. About three months ago the ailment made such inroads on his vitality that he was compelled to surrender active work, and since that time he steadily declined. His sister, Mrs. Byron Z. Holmes, of Portland, was with him in his last hours, and will accompany the remains to this city for interment. Funeral services, under the auspices of the late Captain's friends in the service and in private life, were held in Seattle Wednesday afternoon.

Captain Francis was born in 1850 at Springfield, Ill. His father, Allen Francis, was the first American Consul at Victoria, B. C., having been appointed to that post by President Lincoln. This was in 1862. The elder Francis served the Government in this capacity for 36 years. It is said that it was from the elder Francis that Secretary Seward gained the information concerning the varied resources of Alaska which determined him to enter into negotiations with Russia for its purchase. Consul Francis, at the time the negotiations were pending, was interested in a sailing fleet of trading vessels plying between Victoria and Alaskan points.

In 1889 Captain Edwin H. Francis was appointed a deputy in the office of the Collector of Customs at Sitka. When Secretary Seward went north to inspect the Alaskan Coast Francis met him in Sitka. It was arranged that the Secretary should proceed up the Chilkat River, accompanied by a party in Indian canoes. Their destination was Kluqwan, where the Secretary met Chief Kookkuk, with the result that the latter entertained the party at a great feast in true tribal fashion. During the ascent of the river the party was fired upon twice by the redskins, but no one was wounded. Captain Francis accompanied Secretary Seward during the whole of his trip.

A service of note which Captain Francis performed for the Government was the planting of nearly all the buoys in the light-house service in Southeastern Alaska waters. Deceased, while of a retiring nature, was genial to a degree among his friends, who revered him much for his many personal traits. In the early history of navigation in northern waters, Admiral Freeman presented Captain Francis with a beautiful gold medal for services rendered him in piloting a British man-of-war through Wrangle Narrows. The vessel was the largest that ever went through the dangerous passage. Recently the United States Government consulted him regarding the placing of additional signals to mariners, relying upon his extensive knowledge of the waters.

Major Simon Francis, Paymaster United States Army, who will be remembered by old residents of Portland, was an uncle of Captain Francis. Simon Francis was editor of The Oregonian from early in 1880 to the winter of 1881, and became well known among journalists of that time on the Pacific Coast.

GUARDSMEN MUST PAY UP

Sheriff to Collect Fines for Nonattendance at Drills.

Sheriff Frazier has received an additional batch of warrants to serve upon members of the Oregon National Guard who have been convicted of nonattendance at drill without a reasonable excuse. The names of the delinquents, and the amounts of their fines, are as follows:

Corporal J. E. Maxon, Company G, \$1.50; A. H. Morgan, Company G, \$1.50; A. G. Boyd, Company G, \$1.50; W. F. Allen, Company G, \$1.50; W. F. Allen, Company G, \$1.50; G. R. Winneman, Company G, \$2.50; Guy Hibbard, Company G, \$1.50; E. W. Brigham, T. J. Hoyt and A. E. Florry, Company G, \$1.50; H. M. Winters, A. H. Tanner, W. S. Owens and D. Price, Company F, \$1.50; H. Sylvester, Company G, \$1.50; J. C. Berg, Company F, \$2.50.

The military code provides that delinquents at drill who refuse to pay their fines may be imprisoned in the county jail, but the Sheriff has not yet been compelled to lock anybody up. The boys are allowed a reasonable length of time to settle up, and the Sheriff, by using diplomacy, has succeeded in collecting all of the fines.

SUES NORTHERN PACIFIC.

\$5000 Damages Asked for Death of Samuel Woddy.

Sam Woddy, as administrator of the estate of his father, Samuel Woddy, deceased, yesterday filed suit in the State Circuit Court against the Northern Pacific Terminal Company for \$5000 damages. The complaint recites that on May 4, 1901, Samuel Woddy was walking along Northrup street, when he was knocked down and run over by a switch engine, and was killed. It is alleged that the company failed to have a helper on the front part of the switch engine, as it approached and crossed the street, to warn Woddy and others, and that the company was negligent.

WIFE SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Susie C. Brown Charges Husband With Habitual Drunkenness.

Susie C. Brown has commenced suit in the State Circuit Court against Richard D. Brown, for a divorce, charging him in her complaint with gross habitual drunkenness. They were married at Eugene in 1885, and have no children. Mrs. Brown

avers that her husband began to be intemperate in his habits in 1892. The complaint says she is the owner of property in Eugene and land in Lane County in her own right, and she asks the court to decree that the defendant has no interest in it, and she also asks to be restored to her maiden name, Purkison.

BURRELL INVESTMENT COMPANY.

Articles of Incorporation Filed by Heirs of M. S. Burrell.

Articles of Incorporation of the Burrell Investment Company were filed in the office of the County Clerk yesterday by Walter F. Burrell, Gordon Voorhies and Helen Burrell Voorhies. The capital stock is \$20,000. The objects are to purchase or otherwise acquire, wherever situated, all or any of the property, real, personal and mixed, now owned by Rosa F. Burrell, Walter F. Burrell, Helen Burrell Voorhies and Margaret Burrell Biddle, sole heirs-at-law of M. S. Burrell and Herman Burrell, both deceased, and late of Portland, doing business under the name and style of the Estate of M. S. Burrell, and to own, hold, operate, improve, lease and fully enjoy the same.

The Burrells own a large amount of farming land in Oregon and Washington, and it is stated that it is the intention to engage in stockraising and fruitgrowing on a large scale, and otherwise improve the properties.

Court Notes.

Frank S. Grant, administrator of the estate of W. E. Crowell, deceased, yesterday petitioned the County Court for leave to sell real property in DeLashmutt & Osburn's Little Homes, in order to pay claims.

In the County Court yesterday L. Briske filed a bid of \$3000 for certain property in Fernwood, belonging to the estate of Hannah M. Smith, deceased, which the administrator recently sold for \$2000. As the Court has not yet confirmed the sale, the new bid will probably be accepted.

NEED OF RIVER DREDGING

Port of Portland Commission Urged to Take Action.

The need of dredging in the Willamette River above the bridge was brought before the Port of Portland Commission yesterday by Imman, Poulsen & Co., owners of the East Side. In a letter to the commission, the company said that while the lower river was receiving attention, the upper river was being neglected. The company intended to engage extensively in the export lumber business, and it wished the river dredged so that large vessels could pass to a point opposite the mill.

When the letter was read President Banfield said that Imman, Poulsen & Co. had labored under disadvantages in that as large vessels could not reach the mill they had to send lumber down the river by scow and transfer it to the ships. It was decided to investigate the matter, and on motion of Mr. Swier the letter was referred to the harbor committee.

Treasurer Reilly reported that the commission was not only out of debt, but had a bank account of \$10,000. By the receipt of part of its share of taxes the commission had been enabled to pay its indebtedness of \$36,500 to the Hibernia Savings Bank, and had some money in the bank. The Oakland Iron Works, which has the contract for the auxiliary machinery of the new dredge, asked permission to make some slight changes in the machinery. The request was endorsed by Designing Engineer Lockwood, and was allowed. In this connection Mr. Banfield said that the company would sublet a part of its contract to Portland people, and all the work would not go to San Francisco. From what Mr. Banfield learned \$25,000 worth of work would be done in Portland and about \$4000 in Seattle.

A letter received by H. W. Scott from the C. & C. Electric Company, of Garwood, N. J., in relation to the proposed drydock, was read to the commission. The letter, which was dated March 18, stated that the company had been engaged by the contract for the auxiliary machinery of the new dredge, and was allowed. In this connection Mr. Banfield said that the company would sublet a part of its contract to Portland people, and all the work would not go to San Francisco. From what Mr. Banfield learned \$25,000 worth of work would be done in Portland and about \$4000 in Seattle.

The letter was placed on file. A letter received from the Portland Shipbuilding Company, asking for an extension of time until April 20 in which to complete the two wood scows for which it was awarded the contract. The letter stated that the company was delayed in its work by the failure of mills to furnish timbers of the necessary lengths. The matter was referred to Commissioners Adams, Reilly and Selling.

A letter was received from Commissioner Hughes stating that a piece of the dredge machinery had not been made according to specifications. Clerk Stevens said the defect would be remedied and the letter was placed on file. The new by-laws, which were read at a previous meeting, were adopted. Commissioner Selling objected to the fourth article, which read: "All written communications or protests must be filed with the clerk of the commission, and shall only be read before the meeting upon motion to that effect duly made and seconded, and carried by vote of a majority of the members present at such meeting." Mr. Selling said that under the article the minority would have no voice in the meetings. The other Commissioners were of the opinion that the reading of such protests greatly retarded work in the past.

Homesekers, Attention!

We take this method of informing homesekers that farming fruit and pasture lands can be purchased in vicinity of Harrisburg, Linn County, Or., for less money, quality considered, than elsewhere in the Willamette Valley. Address W. W. Briggs, secretary Board of Trade.

Pain from indigestion, dyspepsia, and too hearty eating is relieved at once by taking one of Carter's Little Liver Pills immediately after dinner.

EASTER SALE OF SUITS

55 tailor-made suits, made of covert, unfinished shadeds, broadcloth and cheviot, in all shades, in the single and double-breasted blouse, with the pipon hip trimming. All jackets taffeta-lined. Skirts lined with spun glass. Regular \$25.00 values.

TODAY AND TOMORROW ONLY

\$10.00

When you save like this you are making money. The prices were never so cheap as they are today and tomorrow.

OURS IS THE POPULAR-PRICE HOUSE.

LARGEST AND LEADING FURRIERS OF THE WEST.

283-285 MORRISON STREET, PORTLAND, OREGON.

Siberian Fur Mfg. Co.

Suit Cases, Traveling Bags

Prices range from \$2.50 up to \$50—(Third floor).

Meier & Frank Co.

Just received a very large shipment of

Suit Cases and Traveling Bags in all the new shapes and leathers—All sizes—

Meier & Frank Co.

"Victor" Baseballs, Mitts, Fielders' Gloves, Bats, Masks, etc.—All grades—(Third floor.) Boys' Natty Clothing for Easter wear—Superb Spring styles at reasonable prices. Easter Novelties in very large variety—Some very pretty pieces from 5c to \$5.

Friday Surprise Sale

Today the 659th Friday Surprise Sale—The most important value-giving sale of many months—Something of great interest to every housekeeper, hotel and boarding-house proprietor—A great purchase by our New York representative of 750 beautiful Bureau Scarfs, in embroidered, hemstitched linen, cut work and net styles, in a wondrous variety of beautiful designs—The best collection of its kind we have ever seen—Not a piece in the lot worth less than \$1.00—Most of them worth up to \$1.50—Size 18x54, your choice, today only, at 53c (See big window display.)

Easter Glove Sale

Glove prices that will appeal to your pride, pleasure and pocketbook—Some 300 dozen of the highest-grade "Perrins" at a tempting reduction from regular selling price, and right at a time when you want good gloves most, every pair thoroughly guaranteed to give satisfactory wear.

150 dozen "Perrins" Joinville and finest quality glace Gloves, in pique and overseam—All the newest shades and styles, all sizes, the regular \$2.00 qualities, per pair \$1.50

150 dozen "Perrins" Manhattan and Lamure glace Gloves, pique or overseam, newest shades and styles, all sizes, the regular \$1.75 qualities, per pair \$1.43

Ping Pong or Table Tennis

The popular game in the East—Everybody enthused over the antics of the little celluloid balls—Society, business men, young and old, all playing it—To those understanding tennis it is especially interesting—Full set, 2 bats, 2 balls and net \$2.50

Full instructions with each set—(Third floor).

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Friday the Day of Rarest Bargains

WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU

That you will be able to buy the following list at a radical price reduction from the price you have paid or will pay any other day. Our way of advertising. How do you like it?

FRIDAY ONLY AT THESE PRICES

Envelopes, per package 1c

\$1.00 silk and wool waists 25c

Pillow cases, worth 10c 5c

Bedspreads worth \$1.25 75c

Silk Windsor ties, worth 25c 10c

Sateen Windsor ties, worth 10c 5c

FRIDAY ONLY AT THESE PRICES

Taffeta Ribbons, 4 inches wide 15c

Boys' all-wool sweaters, worth \$1.00 50c

Men's golf shirts, worth \$1.00 50c

Misses fine-ribbed hose, worth 25c 15c

Misses tam o' shanters, worth 25c 10c

O. N. T. darning cotton, worth 25c 10c

spool 5c

WHITE SUMMER WAISTS

Embroidery trimmed, nicely tucked and well made, values up to \$1.50, for Friday at

37 Cents apiece.

CLARY'S, "THE FAIR" 329 Washington St.

IMPERIAL HOTEL BUILDING

For Today and Saturday Only

Ladies' Shirtwaists, quality and styles are correct, special at 25c.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, special at \$1.15. Children's Trimmed Hats, something near and pretty for a small price, each 65c, 95c \$1.25. Lagoon and Allover Laces.

OLDS, WORTMAN & KING

BARGAINS TODAY AND TOMORROW

In many of our most wanted Easter goods. It will certainly repay all who can use the under-mentioned to buy here and now. These are price proofs which are strongly backed by style and quality.

MEN'S 75c NOVELTY NECKWEAR

Something entirely new and exclusive with us. Crepon Shadow Silk Imperials, in many effective colorings and smart designs. Choice for Easter—good to have at any time. Special today and tomorrow, at, each 50c

EASTER GLOVE BARGAINS

Here's the most of merit for your money. Ladies' \$1.50 "Mentone" Undressed Kid Gloves, two-class, full pique, white and Spring colors. This week only, pair, \$1.25

Ladies' \$1.25 two and three-class Glace Kid Gloves, pique or overseam, Paris point or plain embroidery. All shades, white and black. Pair, 98c

CHILD'S HOSIERY EXTRA

Brilliant, fast-black fine-ribbed cotton Hose, with heavy double heels, knees and toes. Splendid for school. Small sizes, special, 10c pair. Large sizes, special, pair, 12c

EASTER JEWELRY NOVELTIES

Hat Pins and Brooches. Some of the new things in Oriental, Gun Metal, Crystal, Oxidized, Turquoise, Amethyst, Rhinestone and Violet, at, each, 29c

Two days for buying

EASTER GOWNS, WRAPS AND HEADWEAR

Save time and disappointment by coming direct to us.

EASTER NOVELTIES

Eggs, Animals, Bric-a-brac, etc. Many kinds, suitable for homes, Sunday-school classes or societies.

EASTER DISPLAY OF MILLINERY

Lipman, Wolff & Co.

New Etamine, Canvas and Cheviot TAILOR-MADE SUITS

In blouse, Eton and novelty styles.

Prices \$27.50, \$30.00, \$35.00.

Just received and placed on sale this morning.

EASTER SALE OF KID GLOVES TODAY

Stationery for Easter

100 Boxes of Swell Society Paper, 4 quires paper and envelopes, regular price 38c

75c, special, box 38c

2000 Boxes of Cream and White Paper, Mount Hood

souvenir cover, very special at, box 10c

200 Boxes Cream Society Paper, containing 125 sheets and envelopes, regular price 50c, special 28c

250 Lbs. of Superfine Cream White Writing Paper, regular price 25c, special 12c

2000 Rolls Crepe Paper, all colors, full length, special per roll 5c

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