MUST PAVE TRACK

Southern Pacific to Improve Fourth-Street Way.

THE ORDINANCE IS INTRODUCED

Common Council Will Order Laying of Treated Wood Blocks—Old Tax Liens Canceled—Repairs for Fire Department.

At the meeting of the Common Council yesterday an ordinance was introduced providing for the improvement of the Southern Pacific's right of way on Fourth street with treated wood blocks, the same as the other parts of the street. An ordinance canceling all liens for city taxes on property on which all takes have been paid from 1888 to 1902, inclusive, was passed. The sum of $1000 was appropriated for new curbs and walks around the park blocks. The sum of $2500 was appropriated for the repair of buildings connected with the Fire Department. The Union Market Company applied for a lease of the Market block for 10 years, agreeing to remove the old pavilion and erect and maintain a suitable market there.

Mayor Rowe presided, and Councilmen Branch, Bronaugh, Glisan, Masters, Merrill, Nealond, Nichols, Sherrett and Walker were present. The meeting adjourned to 2 P. M. Saturday.

An ordinance providing for the time and manner of improving the right of way of the Southern Pacific Company on Fourth street, from Jefferson street to Burnside, by substituting for the present rails on said street six-inch T rails, with a Z flange, said rails to be laid on ties embedded in concrete, and by paving inside and outside the rails with wood blocks treated with carbolineum avenarius, was read twice and referred to the committee on streets. It was voted to adjourn till Saturday next at 2 P. M., when the ordinance will probably be passed.

Manager Koehler, of the Southern Pacific Company, after having at large expense maintained over this right of way for the past year or two the only thoroughfare on this street, is likely to consider that this ordinance is a little binding, but the Council desires to have the street paved the same for the full width.

To Cancel Tax Liens.

An ordinance canceling all apparent liens for taxes levied by the former municipalities of Portland, East Portland, Albina and Sellwood, levied upon city property on which all city taxes have been or shall be paid for the years 1888 to 1902, inclusive, was passed.

An ordinance authorizing the expenditure of $1000 for new curbs and walks around the park blocks, and appropriating the same, was passed.

Money for April Expenses.

An ordinance was passed authorizing the expenditure of money for certain municipal expenses for the month of April, 1902, as follows:

For Engineer's department	$2687 50
Street repairs	2960 00
Garbage crematory	346 50
City Hall	800 00
Pound department	286 00
Street-cleaning and sprinkling department	4863 35
Blanks and blank books	250 00
Printing Mayor's message and municipal reports	300 00
Expenses of city museum	500 00

An ordinance transferring $2500 from the general fund to the Fire Department fund to repair engine-houses, etc., was passed.

Repairs for Fire Department.

The Board of Fire Commissioners asked for an appropriation of $5000 for making repairs to buildings of the Fire Department, but after some discussion it was decided to appropriate half that sum at once and the other half in a month or so. Bronaugh was opposed to piecework, but Branch explained that the whole amount asked for was not available at present.

An ordinance declaring the proportionate share of the cost of constructing a sewer on East Sixth street and appropriating $142, the cost thereof, was passed.

An ordinance taking the sum of $778 out of the fund for the extension of Corbett street, at and near the intersection of Lowell avenue, was passed.

Streets to Be Improved.

Ordinances providing for the time and manner of improving streets as follows were passed:

East Mill street, from Grand avenue to East Twelfth street; Main street, from Chapman to King; East Salmon, from East Twelfth to East Fifteenth; Albina avenue, from Russell to Page; East Everett, from East Eighteenth to East Twentieth.

$10,000 for Interest Fund.

An ordinance transferring $10,000 from the general fund to the Improvement bond interest fund, to provide for the payment of interest on improvement bonds, was passed.

An ordinance making an appropriation of $950 70 out of the fund for the laying out and establishing of East Eighteenth street was passed.

An ordinance adopting the report of the City Engineer on the extension of Hawthorne avenue, from East Eleventh to the east line of the Stephens donation land claim, was passed.

An ordinance adopting the report of the City Engineer on the extension of Union avenue, from Alberta street to a point 100 feet south of the Lownsdale donation land claim, was passed.

Notice of Sewer Improvements.

Resolutions giving notice of intention to construct sewers in the following-named streets were adopted:

Minnesota avenue, from Shaver to Beech street; Commercial street, from Morris to sewer in Stanton street; Hamilton avenue, from Front to Corbett street; Eugene street, from East Seventh to sewer in Union avenue; Montana avenue, from Prescott to Beech street; Corbett street, from Bancroft avenue to Seymour avenue; Mabel avenue, from Hamilton to Seymour; East Alder, from East Sixteenth to East Eighteenth and East Ash.

A resolution changing the grade of East Main street at East Twenty-third was adopted.

A resolution appointing B. I. Cohen and C. G. Sutherlin viewers in the matter of the extension of East Twenty-sixth street was adopted.

Notice of Street Improvement.

Resolutions giving notice of intention to improve streets as follows were adopted:

Morris street, from Vancouver avenue to Union avenue; Kelly street, from Grover to Seymour avenue; East Everett street, from East Twentieth to 230 feet east of East Twentieth; East Nineteenth, from Sandy road to East Everett.

Miscellaneous Petitions.

A petition was received from Giebisch & Joplin, who have the contract to excavate a basement for the Masonic building, at the corner of Morrison and Lownsdale streets, for permission to cross Morrison street with wheeled scrapers, promising to keep a man constantly employed keeping the street clean. They wish to dump the earth in the gulch at Sixteenth and Alder streets. It was granted.

Petitions from William M. Ladd and others for change in the grade of East Main street were granted.

A remonstrance against the improvement of Stanton street was referred to the street committee.

A remonstrance against issuing a license for a saloon in the vicinity of Twenty-first and Powell streets was referred to the committee on liquor licenses.

The remonstrance of Mary W. Gaston against the improvement of West Main street was placed on file.

The petition of M. O. C. Murphy for permission to lay wooden sidewalks inside the fire limits was referred to the street committee.

The petition of the Merchants' National Bank for the opening of East Third street, from near East Irving southerly to East Glisan street, was referred to the street committee.

A petition to open and establish Hooker street, from Fourth to Fifth, was granted, and the City Engineer directed to make a survey and report.

Street Railway Company Prompt.

Bronaugh said that, for the credit of the City & Suburban Railway Company, he wished to state that, in accordance with notification ordered at the last meeting of the Council, directing them to place Corbett street in good order, they began work within three days thereafter, both on Corbet and other streets, and were dressing them up to grade.

HOW TO SUCCEED IN LIFE

Keynote of Addresses at Y. M. C. A. Closing Exercises.

"The value of reading good books and how to succeed in business life" formed the keynote of the addresses delivered last night at the new assembly hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, in the presence of a large and appreciative audience. The occasion was the celebration in connection with the fifth series of closing exercises of the association. J. Thorburn Ross was chairman during the early part of the meeting, in the unavoidable absence of W. M. Ladd.

W. P. Olds gave the principal address, and chose for his topic the lessons those starting a business life could receive by reading good books. He said in part: "Make the year 1902 a commemorative period in your existence by reading instructive books, say one-half hour each day. You can read 12 pages daily, and at the end of one year you will find that you have mastered the contents of about 2500 pages. Choose books of about 350 pages each. Read books treating of astronomy, and you will get an idea of what infinity means. Having read about the worlds above you, study geology to discover what is going on beneath our feet. Read also about the development of mankind, the progress of society, the evolution of government, physical development and the progress of religion. Make the cornerstones on your road to success in life honesty, cheerfulness and perseverance. Make a good name and live up to it. It is the one thing we can all get, and the one thing in life that will never die."

When W. M. Ladd had arrived he advised those present to make use of the books in the Portland free library. He stated that during 20 days 3717 members had joined the library, and that the circulation included 6701 volumes. In closing he said: "Out of 23 applications recently received by young men for positions only two wrote specimens of good handwriting. A great many employers usually ask two qualifications of those they wish to employ—What are their qualifications as to honesty? and Do they gamble? Young man, be a good penman and do not gamble."

Interesting musical selections were given by the association's mandolin and guitar class, and by members of the Young Women's Christian Association Glee Club, under the leadership of Edgar E. Coursen. The young women sang well and received a hearty encore. Secretary Stone asked for support for the Spring and Summer educational classes of the association.

WORK FOR MISSIONS.

Annual Presbyterial Missionary Meeting at First Church.

The annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbytery of Portland was held in the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church yesterday, and was attended by a large number of missionary workers. Mrs. W. S. Holt presided; and the devotional service was led by Mrs. E. C. Stark. Reports were received from the recording secretary, Miss Agnes Kelly; box secretary, Mrs. L. D. McArdle; band secretary, Mrs. Archibald Bradshaw; Sunday school secretary, Mrs. E. M. Waite; freedman secretary, Mrs. M. C. Sayre; secretary of literature, Mrs. F. F. Haradon; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Laura P. Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. E. B. Coman.

A discussion in regard to future plans was led by Mrs. J. V. Milligan, secretary for women's societies of the North Pacific Board of Presbyterian Missions, and a conference on missionary studies followed, under the charge of Mrs. Edgar P. Hill. Papers were read by Mrs. E. E. Sharpe on "The Field of Service," and by Miss Margaret Smith on "Missionary Workers." The annual election of officers was then held, and resulted in the reelection of all the officers excepting the treasurer, Mrs. Coman. Mrs. Coman, who had rendered efficient service, was tendered a renomination, but declined it, and Miss Taylor, of the Fourth Presbyterian Church, was elected to succeed her.

ON KIDNAPING CHARGE.

D. M. Litzel Is Arrested by Boys' and Girls' Aid Society.

Charged with kidnaping, D. M. Litzel, 43 years old, residing on East Harrison street, was arrested yesterday by Special Officer Hawley, of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society. It is stated by the police that Litzel will be called to answer a charge of having kidnaped Jennie Sturgis, 15 years old, who is a legal ward of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society. This statement was made last night by W. T. Gardner, superintendent of the society:

"The girl was given into the custody of our society by the County Court of Multnomah County, in 1895, and we charge Litzel with having taken her from the house where we placed her on the East Side, spiriting her to Washington County. He induced a man named Linn to make application to one of the courts of Washington County to declare him as the girl's guardian, stating that the girl was without a proper guardian. We believe that the girl's father is dead, and that her mother has married again. Prosecution in the present case has been started to show that we will not allow persons to interfere with the wards of our society. The girl is at present at Hillsboro."

POOL NOT A SUCCESS.

Comment of Hopmen on Recent London Venture.

Hopmen of this city take issue with the remarks of Francis Feller about hops in yesterday's paper. In the first place, they declare that the consignment to London was not 22,000 bales, but more like 2200. Twenty-two thousand bales would have been one-third of the entire Oregon crop. In the next place, it is maintained that the average price, 11½ cents per pound, at London, for 2200 bales, would have yielded $46,800, rather than $468,000. The profits represented to be $84,000 should be about $8400.

"Better prices could have been obtained right here in Oregon at the time the hops left for London than the highest price Mr. Feller is reported to have obtained," said A. J. Ray, manager of the J. M. Russell Company. "Furthermore, the Oregon market at one time was 2 cents higher than the best price Mr. Feller obtained. The consignment had no influence toward advancing the market. Prices were ruled by world-wide conditions."

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PLAN FOR PUBLIC MARKET

COMPANY MAKES PROPOSAL TO LEASE CITY BLOCK.

Petition for Ten Years' Lease Introduced in Common Council—Pavilion to Be Torn Down.

The Union Market Company, by Solomon Robinson, agent, presented a petition to the Common Council yesterday, asking that the city rent and lease to said company block 132—the Market block—for a period of 10 years, with the privilege of removing the old Pavilion. In case this is granted, the company promises within 30 days to proceed to improve said block and the whole thereof by the erection thereon of all such structures as shall be most necessary and convenient for use as a public market place, all such structures to be erected in accordance with plans and specifications approved by the City Engineer. The Company proposes, if the lease is granted, to conduct and maintain on the grounds for a period of 10 years without expense to the city a suitable public market, and to maintain the same in a sanitary and orderly condition during all the market hours of all days in the week, and to rent space in the main building to merchants and others desiring to rent the same, and to provide not less than two large rooms as resting places for women.

It is requested that the city rebuild the sidewalks around the blocks in case the lease is granted. At the expiration of 10 years the company will on request surrender to the city the block and improvements thereon and the control of the market.

It is understood that the Union Market Company consists of two citizens and a man from Buffalo.

The Council would be pleased to get rid of the old Pavilion building, which is not only an eyesore, but a menace to all the property in the vicinity, and the public generally would approve of the change, but there are some doubts as to the practicability of the Market block being leased for a term of years. The block was dedicated to the public for a market block by Colonel W. W. Chapman when the original town plat was laid out. It was never used for market purposes, and finally the Pavilion was built there and has stood there ever since.

Some years ago heirs of Colonel Chapman undertook or threatened to undertake to secure possession of the block on the ground that it had never been devoted to the purpose for which it had been dedicated, and the city paid them $1200 for a deed to quiet the city's title to the property. The building has been leased in whole or in part for a number of years, and it is probable that some way can be found to have the lot after so many years used for the purpose intended.

MOTHERS HOLD MEETING.

City Superintendent Rigler Gives an Address.

At a rousing mothers' meeting yesterday afternoon in the Stephens School, Superintendent Rigler gave an interesting talk. There was a large attendance, and the classroom in which the meeting was held was crowded to its utmost capacity. Chairs were brought in from the outside to accommodate all who came. Principal Hadley welcomed the patrons of the school, and said that the object of the gathering was to promote a better feeling between parents and teachers. He then introduced Superintendent Rigler, who opened his talk by saying that he was highly gratified with the large attendance, and said that wherever similar meetings had been held in other school buildings of the city the room had been crowded and great interest had been shown. This was highly gratifying, as it demonstrated that good was being accomplished.

"One of the difficulties we have to meet in our schools," remarked the Superintendent, "is the lack of better understanding between the teachers and parents about the work of the school. We find that where there is such understanding much of the friction that comes up disappears. Teachers and parents should get acquainted with each other. This is one of the main objects of these meetings. We have an intermission for this purpose. More mothers come to these meetings than any one else, but the doors of the school are open to all. Where there has been misunderstanding about a child in school I have found that if I could get the parent and teacher together the friction disappears. Teachers are employed to do the very best they can for the pupils under their charge, and they generally do this. Sometimes a parent will think his or her child has been mistreated, and I am asked to transfer the pupil to another building. But this is generally the result of misunderstanding, that would give way if the parent would confer with the teacher about the child. Visit the schools, by all means, and if you see anything wrong point it out freely and frankly. The schools are yours, and the doors are open to all. Get acquainted with the teachers."

Superintendent Rigler closed his remarks by referring to the evils of the cigarette habit upon the youth, and said that every effort should be put forth to check its spread. He spoke of the effects of cigarette-smoking upon the very young, how it degraded their minds and bodies, and cautioned the mothers present to know where their boys were at all times; to be with them, and inculcate moral principles. After the address a recess was taken, during which the visitors were shown through the building and were introduced to the teachers. The latter mingled freely with the mothers and formed acquaintances with those who were rarely ever inside a schoolhouse.

After the recess Principal Hadley introduced Mrs. Sarah M. Kern, who delivered a most effective address. At the start she made a strong appeal to the mothers present to build up a moral character in their children from the start. Always tell the truth about the things they ask, and not permit them to learn from immoral sources. Mrs. Kern touched on the cigarette habit as one of the greatest evils of the times, that was sapping the vital forces of the boys, morally and physically. She read the statements of physicians of standing to back up the assertion that it was one of the great evils to be combated at all times, especially by the mothers, who have the most influence over the habits of the child. Mrs. Kern's address was heartily applauded.

Principal Hadley then called for short talks from the mothers present, and many responded, heartily indorsing the object of the meeting and expressing the hope that they would be kept up. The meeting yesterday in Stephens building was one of the best that have been held. Principal Hadley and the corps of teachers made every one welcome.

Another similar meeting will be held this afternoon in the Thompson building, Central Albina, at 3 o'clock. All residents are invited to be present. Superintendent Rigler expressed himself as pleased with the success that has attended these mothers' meetings, and is confident that much good will result.

DEATH OF FRANK S. MACE.

He Expires Suddenly From Heart Failure at Old Dunlway Dock.

The funeral of Frank S. Mace was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his brother, M. C. Mace, 132 Union avenue, and Lone Fir cemetery was the place of interment. Deceased was 34 years of age. His death a few days ago was very sudden. Mr. Mace had been employed at the old Dunlway dock, at the foot of East Oak street, in looking after poultry for his brother. He had ceased work, and had put on his coat, preparatory to closing up for the evening. Without a word of warning, while he was thus preparing to leave, Mr. Mace slowly sank down to the floor. Dr. Dav Raffety was sent for, and although but a short distance away, before he reached the dock Mace was dead. Heart failure was the cause. Mr. Mace was a healthy man in appearance.

DEATH OF MRS. ALICE HOLMES.

She Was Successful Writer of Some Literary Ability.

Mrs. Alice Holmes died yesterday at her home in Richmond, after an illness of about 12 days. She was 44 years old, and had lived in Portland about six years. Mrs. Holmes was a native of Pennsylvania. She was twice married, her first husband being David Castle, and her second Alexander Holmes. She was taken sick 12 days ago, and she died yesterday morning at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Holmes was a woman of considerable literary ability, and wrote acceptably several short stories, one of which won a prize from the New York World. The following children survive her: Mrs. Lela McCabe, Genevieve, Thomas, Bertram, Alice, Bertha and Robert Holmes. Her husband died a few years ago.

East Side Notes.

Colonel D. B. Bush, who lives on East Burnside and East Fifteenth streets, is slowly recovering from his recent severe illness.

A public reception will be tendered Rev. William E. Randall and family tomorrow evening in the church on the corner of East Ankeny and East Seventh streets. Mr. Randall has been in charge of this church for the past eight months.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth W. Rowland, wife of James T. Rowland, was held yesterday afternoon from her home at Mount Tabor. She was 39 years old. A husband and nine children survive her. The family came to Washington 20 years ago. They moved to Columbia Slough and to Mount Tabor three years ago.

NOT ENOUGH SOCIALISTS

Ninety-two Comrades Meet and Search for Eight More.

Ninety-two Socialists met at their headquarters at 283½ Third street last night for the purpose of nominating a ticket to represent their party in the coming city election. G. R. Cook was elected temporary chairman, William Saltenberg temporary secretary and no further honors were bestowed. A "comrade" who had made some investigation of the political situation, informed the assembly that 100 qualified voters (there were ladies present) were necessary in order that the Socialists might receive recognition as a party. Committees were appointed to search for Socialists, while those remaining were entertained by speeches touching at length upon "the miserable lot of the laboring classes" and "the great disasters threatening our country which can only be averted through Socialism."

Dr. P. L. McKenzie started out by outlining the coming Socialistic campaign and charging his comrades to "use no unquestionable methods."

After each address a careful count was taken and more searchers sent out. Finally, at a late hour, the attempt was given up, and the meeting adjourned to meet again Friday, April 4, at 8 P. M. Every effort will be made to secure the required number at the next meeting.

WILL GO TO AUSTRALIA.

Destination of Vaudeville Team Now at the Baker.

Harris and Walter, the vaudeville team from Tony Pastor's Theater, New York, who have been making such a hit at the Baker all this week, will soon make the longest "jump" ever made by vaudeville people in this country. They played Pastor's week before last, and just a week from today they will sail for Sydney, Australia, going by way of San Francisco.

They will there go under the management of Harry Richards, the oldest vaudeville manager of that country, and will appear in all the large cities. Only the best acts on the stage ever get such recognition as this, and when it is remembered that they will remain in Australia six months, it will be seen that Manager Baker was even more than usually enterprising in securing them for Portland.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Success of "Way Down East."

"Way Down East," the rural drama which opened at the Marquam early in the week, is still playing to big business. The play is one which interests all classes of theater-goers, and the advance sale shows that the engagement this year will be fully as good as that of last season. The usual matinee will be given Saturday.

Sale of Seats for "Arizona."

The sale of seats for "Arizona," which comes to the Marquam Grand Theater next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights will open tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. "Arizona," the third play of the "state" series from the pen of Augustus Thomas, the talented author of "Alabama," "In Mizzoura," and the more recently produced "Colorado." If half of the words of praise devoted to "Arizona" by the Eastern press critics are true, it is one of the most remarkable plays offered in New York in the past decade. As the name indicates, the scenes are laid in the great Southwestern territory, which is now knocking at the doors of Congress with a plea for admission into the sisterhood of states; its people are the sturdy folk of the ranches, the camps and the Southwestern cavalry posts.

Cordray's Announcement.

Ouida's masterpiece, "Under Two Flags," will receive an elaborate production at Cordray's Theater next Sunday evening by Miss Jessie Shirley and her company. The works of Louise de la Reme, or "Ouida," as she is better known, are more widely read than any foreign novels. Her characters seem to live and seem to be flesh and blood, men and women actuated by human motives, desires and habits. Her plots are intricate, well worked out and plausible, and the characters seem to fit into the situations in the most natural manner imaginable.

The novel which was her "piece de resistance" was "Under Two Flags," a story of English and French army life, which won for itself and its author a place at the top of the list in literature.

The characters of Cigarette and Bertie Cecil became as familiar to the readers of fiction as were the signs of the Zodiac to a student of astronomy or the pilgrimage of the wise men to the theologian.

The story has been published in English, French, German and Italian, and dramatized in English and French, and its success as a play was even greater than that which greeted it as a novel, if such a thing were possible.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. C. Murton, of McMinnville, is spending a few days in the city.

Dr. Arthur W. Chance has returned from a two weeks' trip to California.

Forecast Official Beals left yesterday for Fort Canby, where he will inspect a new weather bureau building which the Government is erecting at North Head. The building, which is intended to be a vessel-reporting station, will be completed this month.

George Y. Harry, who was appointed by the Federated Trades' Council as organizer of a State Federation of Labor, left yesterday morning for The Dalles, his first field of labor. He will proceed thence to Pendleton, La Grande and other cities in Eastern Oregon.

NEW YORK, April 2.—J. P. Morgan sailed for Europe today on the steamship Oceanic.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Northwestern people registered at New York hotels today as follows:

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, April 2.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 57; minimum temperature, 42; river reading at 11 A. M., 3.4 feet; change in the past 24 hours, —0.1 foot; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.24 inch; total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 32.17 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 38.43 inches; deficiency, 6.26 inches; total sunshine April 1, 1:15; possible sunshine April 1, 12:48.

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

STATIONS.	Max. temp.	Precipitation last 12 hours.	Wind. Velocity.	Wind. Direction.	State of weather.
Astoria	58	0.00	6	S	Cloudy
Baker City	50	0.04	10	W	Raining
Bismarck	34	0.00	*	SE	Clear
Boise	54	0.02	*	SE	Cloudy
Eureka	58	**	16	S	Cloudy
Helena	46	0.00	8	NW	Cloudy
Kamloops, B. C.	46	0.00	00	Clm	Clear
Neah Bay	50	0.00	*	E	Cloudy
Pocatello	50	0.06	6	SW	Pt. cloudy
Portland	57	0.00	6	NE	Cloudy
Red Bluff	58	0.00	12	SE	Clear
Roseburg	60	0.00	6	SW	Cloudy
Sacramento	60	0.00	8	S	Clear
Salt Lake	50	0.01	*	NE	Clear
San Francisco	60	0.00	12	SW	Clear
Spokane	46	0.20	*	SE	Raining
Seattle	54	0.02	*	NE	Pt. cloudy
Walla Walla	60	0.16	6	S	Pt. cloudy

*Light. **Trace.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

A storm of moderate energy is central this evening over British Columbia north of Washington. There has also been a slight fall in the pressure over Southwestern Oregon and in California.

Light to moderately heavy rains have occurred during the last 24 hours in Eastern Washington, Eastern Oregon and Southern Idaho. Rain is falling this evening at Spokane and at Baker City.

Nearly normal temperatures prevail in the Rocky Mountain and Pacific Coast States.

The weather in the Pacific Northwest is very unsettled, and the indications are for showers over the greater portion of this district Thursday.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Thursday, April 3:

Portland and vicinity—Occasional showers; south to west winds.

Oregon—Occasional showers; possibly cooler in southwest portion; winds mostly southerly.

Washington—Occasional showers; winds mostly southerly.

Idaho—Occasional showers; winds mostly southerly.

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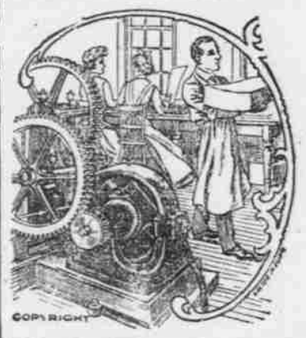

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Marquam Grand Theater—Calvin Heilig, Mgr.
One week, beginning Monday, March 31, with Matinee Wednesday and Saturday at 2:15 o'clock. Wm. A. Brady presents last year's big success, "WAY DOWN EAST."
Evening prices—Lower floor, except last 6 rows, $1.50; last 6 rows, $1. Balcony, first 3 rows, $1; second 3 rows, 75c; last 6 rows, 50c. Gallery, first 2 rows, 35c; all seats in rear, 25c. Boxes and loges, $10. Popular Matinee prices—Lower floor, except last 6 rows, $1; last 6 rows, 75c. Balcony, first 3 rows, 75c; last 9 rows, 50c. Gallery, first 2 rows, 35c; all seats in rear, 25c. Boxes and loges, $7.50. Seats now selling for the entire engagement.

THE BAKER THEATER—George L. Baker, Manager. Phones: Oregon North 1076; Columbia 506. Scored another hit yesterday, and will continue all this week. Real Eastern talent, headed by Harris and Walters and ably assisted by O'Brien, Jennings and O'Brien, Rose and Jeanette, Al Hawthorne, Camille Walling, Richard Wild, Sid Baxter and the big sensation, the great "CYCLE WHIRL." Matinee Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday. Prices—Matinee, 10c, 15c, 25c; night, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Seats on sale a week in advance.

CORDRAY'S THEATER—
Every night this week and Saturday Matinee, MISS JESSIE SHIRLEY AND COMPANY.
In Repertoire. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights, Dion Boucicault's great Southern play,
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A GREAT SCENIC PRODUCTION.
40 People on the Stage. Saturday Matinee and evening, the great drama, "The Two Orphans."

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Up-to-date Eastern Acrobats.
General admission, free; reserved seats, 25c; boxes, according to location.

AUCTION SALES TODAY.

At 91 First st., between Stark and Oak, at 7 P. M. S. L. N. Gilman, auctioneer.

At Baker's Auction rooms, cor. Alder and Park sts. Sale at 10 A. M. Geo. Baker & Co., auctioneers.

MEETING NOTICES.

AMERICUS LODGE, NO. 1, K. P.—Auditorium Hall, meets every Thursday evening. Visitors are cordially invited.
F. P. BAUMGARTNER, C. C.
ED. D. CURTIS, K. R. S.

A. & A. S. RITE, OREGON CONSISTORY, NO. 1.—Special meeting this evening at 8 o'clock. Business relating to issuance of bonds for construction of cathedral. By order
MASTER OF KADOSH.

OREGON COMMANDERY, NO. 1, K. T.—Special conclave this evening at 8 o'clock. Order of Temple. Visiting Sir Knights courteously invited.
W. S. MACRUM, Rec.

SECOND ANNIVERSARY BALL, given by Century Union, No. 27, Order Washington, Willamette Hall, Second st., between Morrison and Yamhill. Friday evening, April 4. Grand march 8:30 sharp. Hodgson orchestra. Admission 25c.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

EDWARDS—At the Good Samaritan Hospital, March 31, James Edwards, native of Scotland, aged 55 years. Funeral today, 10 A. M., from Edward Holman's funeral parlors. Friends invited to attend.

HOLMES—In this city, April 2, at her late residence, East 34th and Brooklyn sts., Mrs. Alice A. Holmes, aged 44 years. Funeral Friday, 2 P. M., from St. David's Episcopal Church, East 12th and East Morrison sts. Interment in Lone Fir cemetery. Friends invited.

J. P. FINLEY & SON Progressive Funeral Directors and Embalmers, Cor. Third and Jefferson Sts. Competent lady ass't. Both phones No. 9.

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