RAISED BY SENATE

Oregon Fares Well in River and Harbor Bill.

HOW THE VARIOUS ITEMS STAND

Many Variations From Engineers' Estimates, but It Looks as if the State Would Be Generously Treated.

If the river and harbor bill shall become law as reported from the commerce committee in the Senate, considerable appropriations will be available for all important Oregon projects. The measure may be modified in conference between House and Senate, but it now appears probable that no important item will be stricken out, and it may be that none will be materially reduced. The attention given by Congress to the Columbia River is especially gratifying to all.

The appropriations for river and harbor improvements in the Portland district as reported by the Senate committee on commerce varies materially from the approved estimates of the engineers. The following table shows the more important differences:

	By committee.	By engineers.
Mouth of Columbia	$ 500,000	$900,000
Mouth of Columbia, continuing contract	1,000,000	.....
Between Portland and the sea	225,000	325,000
Dalles-Celilo canal and locks	614,000	.....
Upper Columbia and Snake	40,250	10,000
Columbia at the cascades	30,000	90,000
Willamette above Portland	68,000	30,000
Columbia between Vancouver and the Willamette	16,000	22,000
Coquille River	30,000	40,000
Coos Bay	75,000	.....
Coos River	2,000	.....
Siuslaw River	35,000	35,000
Tillamook Bay	27,000	5,000

While the Engineer Corps had not recommended any particular expenditure for opening the Columbia at the dalles, Captain Harts' plan of improvement, calling for $3,969,371 was before Congress for adoption. The present bill provides specifically for repeal of the old boat railway scheme and transfer of the $214,000 remaining of the appropriation for that enterprise to the canal and locks project, and adds $400,000 to that sum. It does not provide, however, for proceeding on the survey of Captain Harts, but directs a new survey and new estimates to be made on the presumption that the cost can be made less than the sum estimated by Captain Harts. Some of the members of the river and harbor committee, on walking over the rocks about Celilo Falls last year, expressed the opinion that Captain Harts' estimate was high. But there has been expended on the canal and locks at the cascades an improvement not to be compared in magnitude with that proposed at the dalles, $3,742,343.

No expenditure for this year was recommended for Coos Bay, but the estimate of money necessary to complete the project stands at $1,791,000. Likewise $548,000 stands as the sum necessary to complete the project at Siuslaw. The engineer estimates for Tillamook bay, the Upper Columbia and Snake and the Upper Willamette Rivers covered merely maintenance work. These estimates were in the annual report of the Engineer Corps, made June 30 last, and the various sums named were deemed advisable to expend this year. Those estimates superseded all previous ones, and are those that received the approval of the Chief of Engineers.

The bill as it passed the House lacked the $400,000 for the dalles-Celilo project, the $10,000 for improvement of the Columbia between Vancouver and the mouth of the Willamette, and $10,000 less for Coos Bay and $9000 less for the Siuslaw. Aside from these additions there seems no probability of failure in any of the items, according to the judgment of Captain Langfitt, who is now in charge of river and harbor work in this district. While it is possible that none of the additions may be lost in conference, they are not to be counted on very confidently yet.

The language of the bill touching the appropriation for the mouth of the Columbia River is as follows:

Improving the mouth of the Columbia River, Oregon and Washington; Continuing improvement in accordance with the latest approved project, and such modification thereof as may be approved by the Secretary of War, $500,000; provided, that a contract or contracts may be entered into by the Secretary of War for such materials and work as may be necessary to prosecute the approved and modified project, to be paid for as appropriation may from time to time be made by law, not to exceed, in the aggregate, $1,000,000, exclusive of the amounts herein and heretofore appropriated: Provided, further that such modification shall not cause the total cost of the work to exceed that of the latest approved project.

This makes it plain that $500,000 will be made available immediately upon the signing of the bill for improvement of the mouth of the Columbia river, to pay for work to be done directly by the Government or through the instrumentality of contractors. Contract is authorized for $1,000,000 more there, to be paid for by subsequent appropriations. The advantage of this authority is that the preparations may go forward at once on the basis of having $1,500,000 assured for the enterprise. The additional $1,000,000 appropriation will not be dependent on the fortunes of the river and harbor bill; the sundry civil bill may provide for that hereafter, Congress having once authorized the expenditure for the purpose now named.

But it will be at least four months after the bill shall become law before work at the mouth of the Columbia can be taken up. Official notice must come from the Washington authorities that so much money is available for the improvement, and the district engineer will be asked to submit a scheme for expenditure of the money. This is necessary because the appropriations so often vary in amount from the sums recommended by the engineers and it is essential to adjust the work to be done to the size of the appropriation. This scheme of expenditure will be prepared by Captain Langfitt and submitted to General Gillespie, Chief of Engineers, and after approval by him, as submitted or after modification, directions for the work to proceed will be issued. Then if it shall be decided to have the work done by contract, as is probable in this case, detailed specifications must be prepared and authority from Washington asked to advertise for bids in accordance therewith. For work of this magnitude the advertisement for bids should run 60 days, and after a bid shall be accepted the bidder must file a bond and wait for its approval, and there will be other details to attend to before actual work under the contract can begin.

The Government already has a good working plant at the Columbia jetty—80 dump cars, five locomotives and much other apparatus. This is ready for immediate work. The plant will probably be turned over to the contractor for his use, his receipt being taken for every article, and at the end of the contract he will turn it back to the Government, paying whatever shall have been agreed upon for its use. Of course, if the Government shall do the work itself it will use its own plant now on the ground. The track is in good condition for a distance of about 3½ miles, with the excention of two spots where the Winter's storms injured the jetty.

Captain Langfitt is of opinion that it is advisable to build a dredge for regular work on the river between Portland and the sea, for which $175,000 is allowed in the bill, to be used for that purpose at the discretion of the Secretary of War. The present dredge is entirely inadequate for the work necessary to be done, and the United States authorities do not feel that they should depend too much on the Port of Portland Commission for river improvement. Therefore the sum to be available for actual work on the river channel will be but $50,000. The extra $100,000 in the approved estimates of the engineer could have been used to great advantage this year.

For the smaller items of river and harbor improvement the procedure will be the same as in the case of the largest, so that it will be August or September before work on any of the improvements provided for in this bill will be under way, even if the bill shall get through Congress and be signed by the President this month. And if the appropriations reported by the Senate committee shall all be retained in the bill the Portland district will be regarded as fortunate.

AGAINST RIVER RESORT.

Brooklyn Citizens Protest Its Establishment.

A rousing meeting to remonstrate against the prospective establishment of a riverside resort on the east side of the Willamette River, near Ross Island, was held last night at Brooklyn. The hall at 688 Milwaukie street was filled to its utmost capacity with men and women, property-owners and residents and there were twice as many outside who could not get in. Joseph A. Strowbridge, Jr., was elected chairman, and R. H. Nelson secretary. Mr. Strowbridge read the call for the meeting, and in a few words explained that a tract of land situated on the river had been purchased for the purpose of establishing a riverside resort with dance hall and beer garden attachment. The secretary read the following remonstrance, which was unanimously adopted as the sentiment of the meeting:

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council of the City of Portland, Or.—Gentlemen: It having come to our knowledge that a certain person or persons are about to erect a building on the three-acre tract of land, situate on the east bank of the Willamette River, between East Eeventh, on the east, Villa Heights on the north, and a certain tract of land on the south, in the Eighth Ward, City of Portland, Oregon, for the purpose of conducting and maintaining a saloon, dancehouse, beer garden and a Summer resort, and deeming it to be detrimental to the morals and interests of the neighborhood, ward, city and schools, as well as an undesirable enterprise to be permitted or conducted in the city and in the section contemplated;

Now, therefore, we, the undersigned citizens, residents, taxpayers, parents and interested householders of the Eighth ward, of the City of Portland, Or., in mass meeting assembled, and whose homes, children, property and interests will be affected by the said saloon, dancehouse, Summer garden and all its connections and surroundings, hereby most urgently remonstrate against the granting of a license to any person or persons, or to any one to sell or dispose of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, at the above described place.

Remarks were made by H. S. Harcourt, calling attention to the character of the Ross Island resort, which he declared had been one of the vilest and most pernicious in the city, and said that the one in contemplation would resemble it. R. H. Nelson and Rev. Jerome McGlade spoke along the same line. Councilman Sherrett arose and declared that no license to sell liquor at such a resort could be obtained, and pledged his best efforts to prevent the remonstrance to the City Council. Councilman Sherrett, Dr. Dav. Rafferty, J. J. Murphy, Penumbra Kelly and S. F. White. After all present had signed the remonstrance the meeting adjourned.

$5000 CHURCH CONTRACT LET.

Work on the New Mizpah Presbyterian Church Begins at Once.

At a meeting of the trustees and building committee yesterday the contract was let for the erection of the Mizpah Presbyterian Church. Thomas Muir was awarded the contract. The cost of the building will be something over $5200. A number of bids were received, but most of them were above what the trustees had been figuring on. Work will be started at once. The new church building will stand on the site of the old building, on Powell and East Thirteenth streets.

Third Quarterly Meeting.

The third quarterly meeting of the Oregon Conference, Women's Home Missionary Society, will be held tomorrow in the Mount Tabor Methodist Church, beginning in the morning at 10 o'clock. The programme for the afternoon session, which will be devoted to the work of the Portland district, will be arranged by the auxiliary of the Grace Methodist Church.

Roosevelt Club Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Roosevelt Republican Club this evening in the hall at 688 Milwaukie street, near Karl. W. W. Banks, candidate on the Republican ticket for Legislature, will be present and make a short address. There will also be some music. All will be welcome to this meeting.

Death of S. F. Ogden.

Stephens F. Ogden, aged 82 years, died Saturday at the home of his son, S. I. Ogden, St. Johns. He had lived at St. Johns for 10 years. The cause of his death was old age. Yesterday the body was sent to Farmington, O., for interment.

Dr. O. D. Thornton, dentist, 503 Dekum.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Adolphe Wolfe is back in his office of Lipman, Wolfe & Co., after an illness of three weeks.

C. W. Thompson, who is interested in mines at Placer, Or., is at the Imperial, and will remain for several days.

Walter Lyon, secretary to Governor Geer, arrived from Salem yesterday, and will pass a day or two in Portland.

H. B. Brown, of Grangeville, Idaho, fresh from the Thunder Mountain country, is at the Perkins Hotel, and will leave today for Puget Sound.

P. J. Jennings, one of the principal owners of the Helena mines, in the Bohemia district, returned from New York last night, and is at the Portland.

F. D. Kuettner, Auditor of the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad, came up from Astoria on a business and pleasure trip yesterday, and is registered at the Imperial.

George W. Bates and wife leave this evening by the Southern route for an extended pleasure trip through the South and East. They will visit the Charleston Exposition and Washington, and will be gone till June 1.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Ackerman was in the city yesterday, on his way to Astoria, where he goes to visit the schools and confer with the County School Superintendent in regard to arrangements for holding the Clatsop County Institute.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Northwestern people registered at New York hotels today as follows:

From Portland—E. J. Godfrey and E. J. Failing, at the Hoffman.

From Port Angeles, Wash.—I. C. Atkinson, at the Astor.

From Spokane—R. Demsler, at the Grand Union; H. Hooker, at the Grand; D. F. Wetzel and E. F. Morrison, at the Imperial.

From Pomeroy, Wash.—J. B. Brady, at the Hoffman.

From Seattle—H. Schosken and wife, at the Belvedere.

ROME, April 15.—The pope today received Bourke Cockran, of New York, in audience.

BRINGS $517,507 AT SALE

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AUCTIONED OFF BY SHERIFF.

Buyer Is the Columbia Investment Company, Which Bids the Amount of Judgment.

The Chamber of Commerce building was sold by the Sheriff yesterday, as the result of the foreclosure of a mortgage against the property held by the New York Life Insurance Company. The amount of the judgment held by the company, including costs, interest, attorneys' fees, etc., was $517,507. The sale was conducted by Under Sheriff Horace W. Thielsen, and the purchaser was the Columbia Investment Company, represented by R. R. Hoge. The incorporators of this company, besides Mr. Hoge, are F. McKercher and S. M. Mears. The building and ground was sold for the amount of the judgment against it. The sale attracted no attention, and the only persons present were Mr. Hoge, J. C. Flanders and S. B. Linthicum, of the law firm of Williams, Wood & Linthicum, and several bystanders.

Mr. Thielsen read a description of the property by lots and block, and concluded by saying that there is a large building upon it. He called for bids, and Mr. Hoge offered the amount of the judgment. There were no other bidders. It is generally understood that the Ladd estate is interested in the purchase.

The sale will be confirmed by the court, as there was no contest over the mortgage forclosure proceedings.

The Chamber of Commerce building was constructed by money subscribed by Portland merchants and other members of the Chamber of Commerce, and $450,000 was borrowed from the New York Life Insurance Company. The company required a bond that there should be no liens on the structure when completed, and this bond was signed by W. S. Ladd, Ellis G. Hughes, C. P. Bacon, Thomas M. Richardson, Charles H. Dodd, J. E. Haseltine and others. The construction of the building exceeded the amount of money on hand about $100,000, and the Ladds finally had to make the amount good, and afterwards sued the signers of the bond to recover. A settlement was obtained from the Bacon estate, and probably a partial settlement from others. A number of the bondholders had become insolvent when the suit was filed. The building went into the hands of a receiver several years ago, but is now said to be bringing in a large revenue, more than enough to pay interest on the investment. The original cost of the property was over $800,000.

CONTRACT FOR ROAD LET.

Smyth & Howard Will Widen White House Drive for $14,500.

The widening of the White House road from 60 to 80 feet now appears to be a settled fact. The contract for the work was let by the County Court yesterday to Smyth & Howard. It was let according to items; that is, certain figures for grading, excavating, etc., and the total amount of the bid is $14,500, more or less. The contract was drawn up by Judge Cake, and there is a clause protecting the county from loss in case the work is interfered with, and there is also a provision that the roadbed be rolled hard and solid.

It is stated that there will be no remonstrance filed. Several days ago W. S. Brewster, as attorney for the California and Dupont Powder Companies, and Milton W. Smith, appeared before the Board of County Commissioners and made some objections to the widening of the road, but Mr. Brewster yesterday informed an Oregonian reporter that he did not think he would file a remonstrance in behalf of his clients.

The road, when widened, will have a driveway on each side for buggies and other pleasure vehicles, and the center will be graveled, and otherwise substantially built for the use of wagons and heavy teams. The White House road connects with numerous other roads, and is much traveled. The Portland Driving Association petitioned for the widening of the road about a year ago, and has urged the matter vigorously ever since. The association has promised to sprinkle and keep the road up after the improvement has been completed.

TO COLLECT BICYCLE TAX.

Sheriff Begins Sale of Tags to Those Who Use Paths.

Sheriff Frazier yesterday commenced the collection of bicycle taxes for the present year, and six bicycle tags were sold during the day. The first tag was purchased by George McMillan, Deputy Sheriff. The tags were brought to the office yesterday morning, 1400 of them, which is a supply sufficient to accommodate all comers for some time. The tags for 1902 contain a crescent, and the 1901 tags had a star in the center. The new tags can therefore be readily distinguished from the old ones.

Tax Collector Oviatt received a telephone message from a woman requesting tax No. 1, but he answered "first come, first served." Mr. McMillan was the first person to walk up to the cashier's counter and put down a dollar, so he secured the coveted tag.

All persons riding wheels on bicycle paths are required by law to pay the bicycle tax, and those who desire the paths kept up should do so willingly. Speaking of the method which will be pursued, Mr. Oviatt said: "We will give people all the opportunity necessary to secure tags before putting men on the paths. No tags will be sold on the paths this year. After the tags have been on sale at the Sheriff's office for a reasonable length of time, we will put Deputy Sheriffs on the paths with instructions to seize all untagged wheels. The office may allow a month as grace, but not more, for payment, and after that time the law will be enforced as to delinquents." New tags are required each year.

SMUGGLER PLEADS GUILTY.

William Anderson Is Fined $50 in United States Court.

William Anderson, who was arrested on his arrival here from Puget Sound a few days ago, charged with smuggling, on account of having a trunk in his possession with a lot of unstamped opium in it, and who endeavored to excuse himself by saying that he had allowed a stranger's trunk to be checked on his ticket, has concluded that he was mistaken. He became tired of remaining in jail waiting for the stranger to show up, and, on being arraigned in the United States Court yesterday, pleaded guilty to the charge of smuggling, and was fined $50 by Judge Bellinger, which he paid and was discharged. As it was not shown that he had been implicated in any opium smuggling transaction before, the fine was made light, but the loss of the opium will be heavy on the "stranger." The customs authorities appear to be playing in luck of late in the matter of getting straight tips on opium smugglers, and several trunks of the drug have been captured.

REGISTRATION IS SLOW.

Only Twenty Voters Have Been Enrolled Since Primary Day.

The registration department of the County Clerk's office is still doing a slow business. Yesterday the total number registered since the primary election was only 20. County Clerk Swetland is puzzled to know why people do not register, but it is hopeful that there will be a much better showing soon. If it is ascertained that any considerable number of mechanics and laborers have not registered, and who cannot come in the day time, it may be decided to keep the office open nights.

WIFE SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Mrs. Charlotte Mackintosh Charges Husband With Drunkenness.

Charlotte C. Mackintosh yesterday filed suit against Henry B. Mackintosh in the State Circuit Court, for a divorce on the ground of gross and habitual drunkenness and cruel treatment. There are two children, of which the plaintiff asks the custody.

Mrs. Mackintosh in her complaint alleges that her husband for 10 years past has drunk to excess, and has rarely been sober. While they were living at Rossland and she was sick and unable to move she charges that he threatened to kill her. She states that he was frequently drunk for weeks at a time, and failed to support her. They were married in Canada in 1887.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Alfred J. Sutherland and Clara E. Sutherland, his wife, of Portland, foreman and housewife, yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court Their liabilities amount to $3683; assets, $400, exempt.

John Savage, of Milton, Umatilla County, yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court. His liabilities are about $1000; no assets.

Articles of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation of the Woodmen of the World Building Association were filed in the County Clerk's office, by C. M. Bequette, W. S. Ward, T. J. Murphy, and H. L. Day. The capital stock is $20,000. The objects announced are to build a central building, to be used as camp and circle rooms by the Woodmen of the World, or for any other purposes.

Divorces by Default.

Default orders were granted by Judge Sears yesterday in the following divorce cases:

Lulu Cain vs. B. L. Cain; Tillie J. Conlin vs. John J. Conlin, and Pauline Gray vs. Charles A. Gray.

Court Notes.

Grant B. Dimick, attorney-at-law and Mayor of Oregon City, was admitted to practice in the United States Courts yesterday.

M. A. Hatch has sued Ella J. Churchhill, Mary M. Brooks et al in the State Circuit Court to foreclose a mortgage for $350 on lots 6, 7 and 8, block 7, Peninsular Addition.

Thad Vreeland was appointed guardian of Anna G. and Clair A. Fischer, minors, who have an estate valued at $3250, by Judge Cake yesterday. Mr. Vreeland waived any claim for compensation as guardian or attorney for any services which he may render.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

"When Reuben Comes to Town."

"When Reuben Comes to Town" is the title of a new musical comedy that will be the attraction at the Marquam Grand Theater one night only, tomorrow (Thursday). The book and music are both by Herman Perlet, one of the brightest of America's young composers, and are said to be the best example of this character of work that has been offered for a long time. The piece has been given a complete and elaborate scenic production, with new and original song-hits and up-to-date ensemble dances and marches. A stunning and sightly galaxy of maidens is one of the distinct recollections anyone has who sees the new musical comedy. Full of vim and life, smart lines, tuneful lyrics and a series of the most amusinb situations, the comedy is said to appeal irresistibly to all classes of theater-goers. The company engaged by Messrs. Morris and Hall to present this newest novelty is an exceptionally strong one. The sale of seats opened yesterday.

"Lost Paradise."

Belasco & De Mille's powerful drama, "Lost Paradise," will be given by the Ralph Stuart Company at the Baker Theater next week. The play is one which never fails to evoke the deepest interest and ranks with the first dramas of the day. The company has already demonstrated its superiority, pleasing large audiences in "By Right of Sword," and there is no doubt that the opportunity offered by this great drama will result in one of the very strongest productions of the season.

Last Performance of "Nathan Hale."

Tonight at the Marquam, Howard Kyle will make his final appearance in Clyde Fitch's great revolutionary play, "Nathan Hale."

Sale of Seats for Frawley.

This morning at 10 o'clock the sale of seats for Daniel Frawley's engagement at the Marquam Grand Theater will begin. Mr. Frawley will open his engagement next Friday night, presenting "In Missoura," which will also be the bill at the matinee Saturday. Saturday night, "The Liars"; Monday night, "Secret Service"; Tuesday night, "Brother Officers"; Wednesday night, "Lord and Lady Algy." Since his last visit to this city, Mr. Frawley has reorganized his company, and a letter from the popular actor-manager states that it is unquestionably a superior organization to any that he has led in previous seasons. The improvement is due to the addition of two new members. His new leading man, Benjamin Howard, was, until a few months ago, Viola Allen's leading man in "The Palace of the King." When he expressed his wish to come West there was an interesting rivalry between Frawley and Neill as to which would come into possession of his services. Frawley made the highest bid.

Miss May Buckley, the new ingenue of the company, established herself in New York, in the big production of "The Price of Peace" last season. She first came into prominence through her creation of the slave girl in "Firstborn" at San Francisco several years ago. Her Lisbette in "In Missouri" and Caroline in "Secret Service" are spoken of as great impersonations. Miss Mary Van Buren is still the leading woman, and the company includes the old favorites: Frank Mathieu, J. R. Amory, Blanche Douglas, Phosa McAllister, H. S. Duffield, Christine Hill, Wallace Shaw, Lily Branscombe, Herbert Ashton, Reginald Travers, Ernest Rivarz and Roy Stephenson.

"Ostler Joe."

"'Ostler Joe" will be the attraction at Cordray's next week. The author has evolved one of the most beautiful dramatic idyls of recent years from George R. Sims' poem, "'Ostler Joe." The play follows closely the story told in the poem, vividly pointing out the moral, "It is better to live in a hovel of virtue than a palace of infamy." A more inspiring story is seldom told, a more potent sermon is rarely preached than this one set in its dramatic magnificence. This strong company carries a carload of special scenery, painted from nature, and elegant costumes. The following well-known people are in the cast: Mr. Frederick Montague, formerly of the Potter-Bellew Company; Walter Corbett, late with Modjeska; Miss Lucille York, of the Lafayette Theater, Washington, D. C.; Hattie Lamont, of the Dearborn Theater, Chicago, and Gertrude Shields, of the Julius Cahn Eastern Companies.

No Matinee at the Baker.

Owing to the great effort necessary to rehearse for coming plays and put on elaborate productions at the same time, the Stuart Company will not play Wednesday matinees during its engagement at the Baker. The regular Saturday matinees, however, will be a feature, as usual.

PRAISES WORK OF IVEY.

Special Treasury Agent Evans Speaks of Alaska Affairs.

Joseph F. Evans, special agent of the Treasury Department, who has been stationed in Alaska the greater part of the past two years, passed through the city yesterday on his way to San Francisco, where he will visit relatives for a month or so. Mr. Evans has been in the Government service for the last 25 years, and after the Spanish War he was twice sent to the Philippines on delicate missions in connection with the custom service. Of his work in Alaska he said he had visited all the ports and sub-stations and given the officers such special instructions as the local conditions required.

"I am justified in saying," he said, "that there is no collection district in the United States in better condition than Alaska. Colonel J. W. Ivey has made a good collector. His force is composed of competent and matured men, and his administration reflects honor on the country and himself, and as a citizen of Oregon the state should be proud of him."

The lead of the "Koh-I-Noor" does not break or smear.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, April 15.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 72; minimum temperature, 43; river reading at 11 A. M., 6.5 feet; change in the past 24 hours, —1.2 feet; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.00; total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 34.17 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 40.01 inches; deficiency, 5.84 inches; total sunshine April 14, 9:34; possible sunshine April 14, 13:30.

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

STATIONS.	Max. temp.	Precipitation last 12 hours	Wind. Velocity	Wind. Direction	State of weather
Astoria	62	0.00	*	S	Cloudy
Baker City	66	0.00	*	NE	Pt. cloudy
Bismarck	56	0.00	*	S	Clear
Boise	70	0.00	*	NW	Pt. cloudy
Eureka	62	0.00	6	SW	Pt. cloudy
Helena	48	0.00	6	NE	Clear
Kamloops, B. C.	66	0.00	*	SE	Clear
Neah Bay	56	0.00	12	E	Cloudy
Pocatello	60	0.00	8	W	Clear
Portland	72	0.00	*	SE	Pt. cloudy
Red Bluff	74	0.00	6	SE	Pt. cloudy
Roseburg	74	**	12	W	Raining
Sacramento	76	0.00	6	SE	Cloudy
Salt Lake	60	0.00	6	N	Clear
San Francisco	66	0.00	22	W	Clear
Spokane	64	0.00	*	NE	Pt. cloudy
Seattle	68	0.00	*	NW	Clear
Walla Walla	70	0.00	*	SW	Clear

*Light. **Trace.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Fair and warm weather continues this evening in the North Pacific States, except at Roseburg, where a thunder strom was in progress at the time of observation.

The temperature has generally risen in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, and fallen in California.

The indications are for increasing cloudiness in this district Wednesday, with probably light showers in Western Oregon and Western Washington. Cooler weather will be felt west of the Cascades.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Wednesday, April 16:

Portland and vicinity—Cloudy, with probably occasional showers; cooler, with south to west winds.

Western Oregon and Western Washington—Cloudy, with occasional showers; cooler, with south to west winds.

Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Idaho—Increasing cloudiness; slightly cooler; winds mostly southerly.

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This is the season, today is the time, to begin the use of this best of medical prescriptions. There is not the slightest reason to advance why any woman should continue in suffering, when Paine's Celery Compound can be so easily procured. Heaven grant that you may have faith sufficient to use at least one bottle of nature's health-builder, in order that you may be convinced that it is what you need.

DIAMOND DYES give faster and brighter colors than any other dyes.

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HANSON'S 2D ADDITION

We have just placed this beautiful property on the market at $300 and upwards for 50x100-foot lots. It is on the Sunnyside car line and west of Thirtieth street. It is in a sewered district and has city water. Terms to suit the purchaser. We can help you to build a house, and you can pay on installments.

Parrish, Watkins & Co.
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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.

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The Oregonian will not be responsible for errors in advertisements taken through the telephone.

AMUSEMENTS.

Marquam Grand Theater—Calvin Heilig, Mgr.
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, April 14-15-16, special return engagement of HOWARD KYLE and his Distinguished Company. Monday and Tuesday nights, Clyde Fitch's Historical Play, "NATHAN HALE." Wednesday night, the grand play of the present period, "EL GRAN GALAGTO," by Jose Echergary. Tuesday night, testimonial benefit to Portland "Centennial Troop of Rough Riders."
Prices—Lower floor, except last 3 rows, $1.50; last 3 rows, $1. Balcony, first 3 rows, $1; second 3 rows, 75c; last 6 rows, 50c. Gallery, reserved, 35c; balance, 25c. Boxes and loges, $10. Seats now selling.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER—
CALVIN HEILIG, Manager
One night only, Thursday, April 17, the big musical comedy, by Herman Perlet, "WHEN REUBEN COMES TO TOWN." Gorgeous costumes, sparkling music, magnificent scenery, a prize beauty chorus of 40 voices, presented by the Morris & Hall Comedy Company. Prices—Entire parquette, $1.50; entire parquette circle, $1; balcony, first 3 rows, $1; second 3 rows, 75c; last 2 rows, 50c; gallery, first 2 rows, 35c; gallery, all seats in rear, 25c; boxes and loges, $10. Seats now selling.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER—
CALVIN HEILIG, Manager.
Five nights, beginning Friday, April 18, Popular Matinee Saturday at 2:15 o'clock.
DANIEL FRAWLEY AND COMPANY.
Presenting: Friday night and Saturday Matinee, "In Mizzoura." Saturday night, "The Liars." Monday night, "Secret Service." Tuesday night, "Brother Officers." Wednesday night, "Lord and Lady Algy."
Evening prices—$1, 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c. Popular Matinee prices (Saturday only)—Adults, 50c; children, 25c. Seats now selling.

THE BAKER THEATER—
George L. Baker, Mgr.
Phones Ore. 1076. Col. 506.
Two packed houses yesterday.
A positive success—Ralph Stuart and Company in Arthur Marchmont's "By Right of Sword."
No advance in prices.
Matinee 10-15-25
Night 15-25-35-50
Matinees Saturday and Sunday.
Next Attraction—
Ralph Stuart and Company in "THE LOST PARADISE."

CORDRAY'S THEATER—
One week, commencing Sunday, April 13, and Saturday Matinee.
MISS JESSIE SHIRLEY and her company in the latest reigning success,
"UNDER TWO FLAGS."
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JESSIE SHIRLEY AS CIGARETTE.
AN IMMENSE CAST.
SEE—The Daring Ride for Life.
SEE—The Sand Storm in the Desert.
USUAL PRICES—25c and 50c.

FREDERICKSBURG MUSIC HALL—
SEVENTH AND ALDER STREETS
THE SIX AUSTRALIANS.
GEORGE THUMP,
The Legless Wonder.
VERETT,
The Australian Lilliputian.
MULLALY SISTERS.
LEWIS AND LAKE.
STANLEY AND TATE.
Admission free.

NEW TODAY.

815 ACRES

Adjoining Dalles City, to be sold on execution at The Dalles, May 10, 1902. Inquire 421 Chamber of Commerce.

HOME-BUYERS, NOTICE

Any party wishing to purchase a complete, new 8-room dwelling-house will do well to look at those on 15th and Johnson sts. The corner house is $4500 and the inside ones are $3850 each. We can sell them on easy terms.
PARRISH, WATKINS & CO.,
250 Alder st.

MEETING NOTICES.

PORTLAND CHAPTER, NO. 3, R. A. M.—Regular convocation this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 sharp. Work in the Past and M. E. degrees. On Thursday evening, Royal Arch degree. By order of the E. H. P.
HENRY ROE, Sec.

WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 46, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meeting this (Wednesday) evening. Work in F. C. degree. All Master Masons cordially invited. By order of the W. M.
J. A. NEWELL, Sec.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION will meet at A. O. U. W. Hall, Second and Taylor sts., at 8 o'clock this evening.
JOHN VAN ZANTE, Chairman.

DIED.

AMSDEN—In this city, April 15, 1902, Carroll E., infant son of Agnes and E. H. Amsden, aged 10 months and 28 days. Funeral notice hereafter.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

McMAHON—Died April 14, Margaret McMahon. Funeral from St. Francis' Church Thursday, April 17, 9 A. M. Friends invited. Services at grave private.

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

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

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

NEW TODAY.

THE UNDERSIGNED GIVES NOTICE THAT he will receive sealed bids for the stock of merchandise and fixtures and notes and accounts of the estate of the McMinnville Grange & Farmers' Company, of McMinnville, Oregon, up to 12 o'clock of April 19, 1902. Bids for stock and fixtures to be separate from bids for accounts and notes. Certified check for ten (10) per cent of the amount bid to accompany each bid, and right is reserved to reject any and all bids. The property may be inspected at McMinnville, Oregon, between now and date of sale. Inventory at my office. Bids will be opened at First National Bank of McMinnville, April 19.
R. L. SABIN, Mortgagee,
Office Front and Ankeny sts., Portland, Or.

HOUSE PAINTING—IF YOU WANT ABSOlutely first-class work, see me about it. I use first-class material, with imported English oil. M. Mattson, 520 Stark.

WANTED—AN OFFER FOR 50x50, WITH buildings thereon, situate S. E. cor. 1st and Jefferson. Frank E. Hart, 105 Sherlock bldg.

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On improved city and farm property, at lowest current rates. Building loans. Installment loans. MacMaster & Birrell, 311 Worcester blk.

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