

ALL GET NINE HOURS

Principal Iron Works Make Concessions.

NO DECREASE IN WAGES MADE

Willamette Iron & Steel Works Took the Initiative, and Other Companies Followed—Machinists' Union Satisfied.

Nine hours will hereafter be considered a working day in all of the iron works of the city, but the employees' wages will still be the same as they were at 10 hours. All of the principal iron works of the city have already made this arrangement with their men, and the smaller ones will be forced to follow their lead in the matter.

The following shops have granted their men a nine-hour day: Willamette Iron & Steel Works, Pacific Iron Works, Portland Iron Works, Columbia Engineering Works, Phoenix Iron Works, Smith & Watson Iron Works. These are the principal factories, and the smaller ones will not be able to run on a 10-hour basis with these in line for a nine-hour day.

GRANGES FOR THE FAIR

SENTIMENT IS STRONG FOR \$500,000 APPROPRIATION.

State Deputy Miller Returns From Inspection Trip, Daring Which He Sounded Public Opinion.

A. F. Miller, of Sellwood, who is a state deputy of the Grange, and who has been visiting Granges for several weeks in the interest of the fire insurance feature of the order, has just returned from his recent trip up the Willamette Valley.

MASQUERADE BALL.

Given in Woodmen of the World Hall, Milwaukie, New Year's Eve.

Ash Camp, No. 339, Woodmen of the World, gave a pleasant and enjoyable masquerade ball at its hall, Milwaukie, New Year's eve.

LAST TRIBUTES PAID TO PIONEER'S MEMORY

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DAILY CITY STATISTICS.

Table with columns for Births, Marriages, Deaths, and various other statistics for the city.

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"New Year Brings New Prices"

We want to close out quickly a few pianos left over from our large holiday selections. They will be sold at a price barely above factory cost.

- Pianos, regular price \$225.00, will be closed out at \$169.00
Pianos, regular price \$250.00, will be closed out at \$194.00
Pianos, regular price \$275.00, will be closed out at \$219.00
Pianos, regular price \$300.00, will be closed out at \$244.00
Pianos, regular price \$325.00, will be closed out at \$269.00
Pianos, regular price \$350.00, will be closed out at \$294.00
Pianos, regular price \$375.00, will be closed out at \$319.00
Pianos, regular price \$400.00, will be closed out at \$344.00

Our popular easy payment plan will prevail if desired. If out of town, write for catalogue and terms.

CHINA GLASSWARE LAMPS. Look Out for Bargains in DINNER SETS NEXT WEEK. PRAEL, HEGELE & CO. RETAIL DEPARTMENT 100-106 FIFTH ST., COR. STARK

Common Sense. You use your teeth several times every day of your life, and your health depends on the thoroughness with which they perform their work. DR. B. E. WRIGHT'S DENTAL OFFICE 342 1/2 Washington, Cor. Seventh

MEETING NOTICES. CORINTHIAN CHAPTER, No. 54, O. B. S.—Special communication this (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock. DEGREE. By order of W. M. ELIZABETH KIBBLE, Sec.

BORN. KENNY—At 209 Haswell st., Jan. 2, to the wife of Harry Kenny, a son.

DIED. GOLDSTEIN—Jan. 2, 1903, at the North Pacific Sanitarium, Mrs. Ida Goldstein, aged 39 years, beloved wife of I. Goldstein, and mother of Edith, Jennie, Bertha and Samuel Goldstein. Notice of funeral later.

FUNERAL NOTICES. MORE—In this city, at the family residence, on Marquam Hill, at 8 A. M. Jan. 3, 1903, Mary A. Moore, aged 54 years, 10 months and 8 days, wife of E. A. Moore, and mother of Mrs. E. P. Watkins, of Los Angeles, Cal.

J. P. FINLEY & SON, Progressive Funeral Directors and Embalmers, cor. 3d and Madison streets. Competent lady asst. Both phones No. 3.

UNCALLED-FOR ANSWERS. ANSWERS ARE HELD AT THIS OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING ANSWER CHECKS AND RECEIPTS: HAD BY PRESENTING YOUR CHECKS AT THE OREGONIAN OFFICE.

MORTGAGE LOANS. ON improved city and farm property. R. LIVINGSTONE 224 Stark st.

ACRE TRACTS. Acre tracts on the Peninsula, from \$200 to \$500 per acre. One-fourth cash, balance easy installments.

BARGAINS. FOR SALE—UP-TO-DATE SAWMILL, NEW 50 H. P., 720 ACRES TIMBER, 7,000,000 TO 1-4 SECTION ON RIVER, 4 MILES FROM R. R., 30 MILES FROM CITY. PRICE \$15,000. IF SOLD IN 10 DAYS.

CALIFORNIA MARKET. 155 Third St.

100x100, ONLY FOUR BLOCKS FROM HOTEL PORTLAND \$11,500. David S. Stearns 249 Washington Street

THE WISE MAN LOOKS AHEAD! AUCTION TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1903. AT MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE SAN FRANCISCO WE WILL SELL THE SHIP SNOW & BURGESS

TRINITY CHURCH SITE. For sale, the remaining site lots, No. 10 and 11, of the new business center. For prices, etc., call on the sole agents, F. V. Andrews & Co., Hamilton Bldg.

TAXES WILL NOT BE LESS

No Probability of Any Reduction in County Expenses.

The indications are that the total tax levy on property for 1903 will not be less than that of 1902, and will be about \$1,000,000. The state will want as much money as in the past, and the state school levy will not doubt be fixed at the maximum rate, which is 1.5 mills.

ALWAYS IN A HURRY.

Deliver of Mail Wagons Attempts to Pass Over Moving Bridge.

Foreman Richmond, of the Morrison-street bridge, made a complaint at the meeting of the County Commissioners yesterday that Arthur McDaniel, the driver of a mail wagon, has violated the order against fast driving on the bridge.

ARE FORMALLY CHARGED.

District Attorney Files Information Against Alleged Criminals.

If Baby is Cutting Teeth.

For Guaranteed Titles.

THE FOLKS AT HOME.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

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