FIRE PUT OUT QUICKLY

ANOTHER BLAZE ON EAST SIDE DOES $2000 DAMAGE.

Flames in Building on East Harrison and East Eleventh Streets Burn Hole in Roof.

At 3:45 o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in the two-story frame building on the northwest corner of East Harrison and East Eleventh streets, and the damage by fire and water to the structure and contents amounted to about $2000. Two lower corner rooms were occupied by A. R. Wallace with a large stock of groceries, and one room was occupied by Charles Hillyard as a meat market. The second story, cut up into apartments, was occupied by four families. The fire started in the rear of the meat market, the inside room, and quickly ascended to the second story, where it spread through the roof and the west side.

The alarm was struck from box 216 at 4:45 o'clock and the hose company from Stephens' addition, which had but a short run, soon had a stream on the burning building. District Engineer Holden soon arrived, and Engine No. 7 and Truck No. 4 followed. The fire was stubborn and it was necessary to flood the upper portion of the building before it was got under control. Fortunately there was little wind, or the cottages occupying the remainder of the block to the northward would have been endangered. The work of the firemen was excellent in confining the fire to the top of the building.

The building is the property of an estate at Oregon City, and is in charge of E. E. Charman & Co., of Oregon City. It will cost about $700 to repair the damage, which is fully covered by insurance. A. R. Wallace said he carries $1000, but he estimates his loss, caused by water, above that figure. The meat market in which the fire started suffered no loss. From the back end, where there is a boiler, the fire ran up the partition to the second story. It had probably been smoldering since the evening before. The fire entered the bedroom of Mrs. J. String first, burning her furniture. Her loss is estimated at $300. She had just taken out a policy, and was covered. The Willis and Woodrum families and Mrs. Hiat occupied the remainder of the apartments. Mrs. Hiat suffered about $200 damages. The others about the same amount. These were not insured.

PARENTS' MEETING.

Superintendent Rigler and Mrs. C. A. Coburn Were the Speakers.

A well-attended parents' meeting was held in the assembly hall of the Williams-Avenue Schoolhouse yesterday afternoon. In honor of the occasion the platform had been attractively decorated with Oregon grape and a profusion of the National colors. M. L. Pratt, the principal, remarked at the opening that the object of the gathering was so well understood that further explanation was not necessary. He announced the first number, a selection by the Williams-Avenue School orchestra, which was received with applause.

City Superintendent Rigler was introduced, and he talked entertainingly of the work of the school. He said that in a former address he had spoken of the relation of the school to the home and the necessity of promoting a more cordial condition. He had now come to speak on other lines. Mr. Rigler answered some of the severe criticisms that had been made on the public schools for the slipshod and inaccurate knowledge of spelling and writing the English language possessed by graduates. He explained at length the methods adopted, and contended that the public schools are doing good work along these lines. Mr. Rigler showed just what the schools are doing in these branches for the better understanding of the parents present.

At the close of Mr. Rigler's talk, Miss Lizzie Hoben rendered a vocal solo, and Mrs. C. A. Coburn was introduced by Mr. Pratt as being greatly interested in the public schools. Among other things, in the course of her address, Mrs. Coburn said:

"Experience meetings furnish scope for an expression of ideas that has been deemed profitable in religion. They may also be classed as profitable for the two elements that constitute the ruling forces of education, the parental and the teaching forces. It is plain that to promote the best interests of the pupil during his or her school life these two elements should come together. That they do not always do so is a matter to be regretted, and, indeed, deplored. It may not be said that the one is to be blamed or the other, when a conflict in opinion upon matters of expediency or discipline in the schoolroom takes place between parent and teacher. Individual inquiry alone can decide this point, but in this respect at least, both have been mistaken or derelict, if, in attempting to discharge the duties of a joint commission, they have failed to become, to some extent, acquainted with and interested in each other. It is to correct this mistake, this sin of omission, as I understand it, that these mothers' meetings, so called, were inaugurated in the schools, and here let me suggest that inasmuch as parentage is distinctly a partnership matter—business, if you will—I see no reason why the fathers should be shut out of the title of these meetings, but most cordially second the suggestion that they be called 'parents' meetings.' The idea expressed in this effort is to make parents and teachers acquainted with each other so that emergencies in discipline may be avoided through co-operation of the directing and governing forces at home and the similar forces in school."

After the close of Mrs. Coburn's address the orchestra rendered another selection. Principal Pratt invited the guests to remain and get acquainted with the teachers, which they did.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL SERVICES.

Held in St. Mary's Church Over the Remains of Rev. O'Reilly's Mother.

The funeral of Mrs. Bridget O'Reilly, mother of Rev. C. J. O'Reilly, held in St. Mary's Church, Williams avenue and Stanton street, Albina, was most impressive. There was a large congregation. Mr. O'Reilly sang the requiem mass. He was assisted by Rev. J. H. Black, as deacon, and Rev. J. F. Waters as subdeacon. Rev. Father Marr was master of ceremonies, and Archbishop Christie read the prayers, calling for absolution over the remains. Rev. Father Lambert delivered an eloquent sermon. Members of St. Mary's choir, assisted by the choir of St. Lawrence Church, sang the services. Miss Josephine Keating presided at the organ. J. M. Keating sang "Calvary" in an impressive manner. N. C. Zan sang the solo part of "Dies Irae." At the grave in St. Mary's cemetery Rev. Father H. D. Gartland recited the prayers.

The Dominican Sisters, Sisters of Providence, Sisters of the Holy Name, Sisters of Mercy, Sisters of the Good Shepherd and Sisters of the Precious Blood attended. The priests who attended were as follows: Archbishop Christie, Rev. M. A. Quinlan, president Columbia University; Rev. E. D. Casey, Rev. J. T. McNally, D. D., Rev. Joseph Kennedy, Rev. J. H. Hughes, Rev. H. D. Gartland, Rev. W. R. Hogan, Rev. D. P. Curley, Rev. Anselm Wachter, O. S. B., Rev. Mr. Marcus, O. B. S., Rev. L. A. Brossau, Rev. E. Bolla, Rev. D. Faber, Rev. L. A. Levesque (Woodburn), Rev. J. J. Burri (McMinnville), Rev. Anthony (Vancouver), Rev. A. Hillebrand (Oregon City), Rev. F. Verwilghen (Vancouver).

East Side Notes.

The condition of D. C. Miller, of Albina, who is very sick, was reported much more encouraging. Hopes are entertained that he will recover.

The Fruitgrowers' Market Association will hold a meeting tomorrow evening in Oddfellows' Hall, on corner of East Pine street and Grand avenue. At this meeting a plan of action for the ensuing season will be marked out.

Dr. E. H. Parker and wife, who are at Phoenix, Ariz., will start for Portland in a few days.

Joseph Supple has laid the keel for a gasoline boat, 45 feet long by 7 feet wide, for Everding & Farrell.

D. C. Miller, the veteran of the Civil War, who is very sick at his home in Albina, was reported slightly better yesterday.

B. L. Lucas, an engineer, has had work started on a $2500 dwelling on East Fourteenth, between East Ankeny and East Ash streets.

The Oliphant Sisters will give an evening of sacred song with a talk on the "Fun Side of Religious Life," at Westminster Presbyterian Church, on Friday evening at 7:45. No admission will be charged.

Evening Star Grange, No. 27, Patrons of Husbandry, captured some good material from the business world at the recent institute. F. E. Beach, president of the Portland Board of Trade, and City Auditor T. C. Devlin, have sent in their applications for membership. State Superintendent of Schools J. H. Ackerman took the pledge during the institute and will be given the secret work later.

AMES WILL RETURN.

Against Doctors' Advice Decides to Face His Accusers.

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—A. A. Ames, ex-Mayor of Minneapolis, contrary to the advice of his physicians, and, it is believed, without the knowledge of his counsel, decided this afternoon to return to Minneapolis and stand trial. He will leave Saturday morning via Boston and Chicago. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Ames and their children. His decision to return was voluntarily made.

WILL REVEAL ALL FACTS.

Inquest Into Burdick Murder Will Draw Out All Evidence.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 12.—The inquest into the murder of Edwin L. Burdick will be held next Tuesday. Police Judge Murphy said today that he would make the most complete investigation ever held in this county.

The fact that all persons known to be concerned in the Burdick mystery will give in public the statements they made before the District Attorney will doubtless make the proceedings before Justice Murphy at the inquest, which will begin next Tuesday, most interesting.

Another move having an important bearing on the Burdick case was decided upon today after District Attorney Coatsworth had conferred with Chief of Detectives Cusack. The authorities have determined to obtain the telegrams that passed between Mrs. Burdick and Mrs. Hull before the murder of Burdick. The grand jury is now in session, and the District Attorney can conduct John Doe proceedings to require the Western Union to produce the telegrams. They were sent on the Monday and Tuesday before the Thursday of the murder, when Mrs. Burdick, who saw Arthur R. Pennell near New York, telegraphed to Mrs. Hull, who replied. The Western Union refused to produce the messages, and for that reason today's proceedings were decided upon. The telegrams may not be material in the case, but the authorities want to see them.

A list of persons to be subpenaed to the inquest was made up today, and some of the subpenas were served tonight. The police believe the inquest will reveal important developments.

Edwin T. Burdick's will, which is to be offered for probate tomorrow, cuts off Mrs. Burdick and bequeaths the estate, share and share alike, to three children. D. K. Dunstan, A. B. Kellogg and George C. Miller are named as executors. A clause in the will naming the three executors as guardians for the children will likely be contested on the ground that the appointment is void because Mrs. Burdick is still alive. The claim is that the law nullifies the appointment by will of a guardian where there is a surviving parent, unless both parents joined in the appointment.

Burdick's estate is worth about $80,000, consisting of $55,000 in property and $25,000 life insurance.

Mrs. Seth T. Payne, who is one of the witnesses wanted for the Burdick inquest, left the city tonight. Whither she went is not definitely known by the police.

KILLS HIS WHOLE FAMILY.

Insane German Farmer Makes His House a Slaughter-Pen.

ST. LOUIS, March 12.—Adolph Krauss, a German farmer living 21 miles west of St. Louis, near Bellfontaine, tonight killed his wife and six children with a sledge-hammer. He then knocked himself unconscious with the hammer, and at midnight was dying. It is believed that Krauss suddenly became insane. He had the reputation among his neighbors of being a quiet, inoffensive, industrious farmer, and no other cause for the crime but insanity has been assigned.

About 7 o'clock tonight, John Krauss, a brother, happened to go to Adolph's house to call. The lights were out, but the door was unlocked, and this aroused his suspicion that something was wrong. He entered the house, and, upon striking a light, was horrified to find that there had been a terrible tragedy.

From all that can be learned, Adolph Krauss entered the house some time this afternoon, armed with a sledgehammer. Without warning he struck his wife on the head, killing her instantly. Then, seizing his first child, aged 12, he likewise dealt a murderous blow. The other five children were killed similarly, the last being a 6-months-old baby. Krauss then placed the seven bodies side by side on the floor in one room. He then seized the hammer and dealt himself a blow on the skull which fractured it and knocked him unconscious, his body falling almost in line which those of his victims.

When John Krauss discovered the tragedy tonight he immediately summoned the authorities. The bodies were taken in charge by an undertaker, but the Coroner did not move Krauss, who apparently will be dead by morning.

EFFORTS TO WILT THE FLOWER.

Charges of Grand Larceny and Bribery Against a Doctor.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Dr. R. C. Fowler was arrested today on a warrant secured by Assistant District Attorney Garvan, charging him with grand larceny. He was held in $2000 bail for examination on Monday. The charge is in connection with the sale of mining stock which Mrs. Isabella Gray Taylor alleges Dr. Fowler induced her to buy under false pretenses. Dr. Fowler was mentioned by Mr. Garvan in his affidavit as asking for an order to exhume the body of Theodore Hagaman.

Dr. Flower was arrested on a second warrant charging him with attempting to bribe a public officer. He was arrested on this charge, owing to an affidavit he is alleged to have made charging Andrew D. Meloy with the same crime, in which it is alleged he acknowledged having given Meloy $2500 to give to Police Inspector (then Captain) Titus. Meloy was also arrested on a warrant on the same charge.

WHOLESALE MAIL ROBBERY.

Drivers of Wagons Accused of Plundering Mail Sacks.

BOSTON, March 12.—The city police, acting with Postoffice Inspectors, have arrested five young men who, it is charged, have in the last six months robbed the mails of $50,000. Some of the prisoners, all of whom were employed as mail wagon drivers, have admitted to the Inspectors that they ripped open the mail bags in broad daylight in places no less conspicuous than the North Union and South Terminal Railway Stations. Their plunder consisted of gold watches, rings, silverware, revolvers, knives, books and bric-a-brac, some of which is valued at a high figure. Postoffice Inspector McMillan who has had charge of the investigation, knows where most of the plunder has been deposited, but only a small portion has been recovered.

MAY POOL THEIR FRUIT

PROMINENT GROWERS WILL MEET TOMORROW.

Failure to Form Large Combination Causes a New Movement to Be Undertaken.

Members of the Multnomah Fruitgrowers and Market Association will hold an important meeting Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall, corner of Grand avenue and East Pine street. At this meeting will be determined what course will be followed through the season. On account of the failure to organize a large fruit union, or combination, as was desired, each grower may go it alone this year, as heretofore. However, a considerable number of well-informed and prominent growers are considering the matter of pooling their berries and handling them as a unit. Should this be undertaken at least ten growers with large acreages will go into the pool.

G. H. Hunt, secretary of the association, and one of the most experienced growers in Multnomah County, says he is confident that such an arrangement would be profitable. C. H. Welch, of Mount Tabor, and M. J. Morgan, of Gravel Hill, express themselves as favorable to forming a pool. If they can make such a combination successful they think that it will be the means of showing the fruitraisers what they can do along that line.

GAS AND WATER MAINS.

Soon to Be Laid Into the East Twenty-eighth-Street District.

The residence district east of East Twenty-eighth street north to the Sandy road will soon be provided with gas. The Portland Gas Company has promised to extend its main on East Burnside and East Twenty-eighth street to the Sandy road. This is in response to a request by the Improvement Association of that neighborhood, organized a short time ago.

The district also will soon be provided with water facilities. A big 20-inch main will shortly be laid on East Twenty-eighth street to the Sandy road and thence toward Albina. This large main will give the many new houses east of East Twenty-eighth street a good supply. It is understood the pipe will be laid as soon as it is distributed, so that the district will get the supply there before the irrigation season opens. An effort will also be made to get an arc light at the intersection of the Sandy road and East Twenty-eighth street.

TAKES MANY NICKELS.

East Side Policemen Say It Costs Them Money to Report.

It costs patrolmen who have beats on the East Side a good many nickels to communicate with the central station on the West Side over the telephone. The city has two telephones in East Portland, one being in the old engine-house on East Third and East Oak streets, and the other being at Clay street and Grand avenue. These have been out of order so often that the policemen have to use other phones, which in the course of a month makes a considerable hole in their monthly stipend.

There has been some talk that a substation may be established on the East Side, with a captain in charge. When Chief Hunt was at the head of the department before a substation was maintained on the East Side, but it was discontinued.

Pleasant Home Notes.

Merriel Ball is building a very large fruit-drier and a chopmill in connection with it at Cotterel, about a mile east of Pleasant Home. Mrs. James Menzies is also putting up a nice dwelling on her farm near Cotterel. E. O. Ball is building it.

The basket social given in the G. A. R. Hall Saturday evening was a success. The hall was well filled, and many beautiful baskets were sold. The proceeds were $31.50, which will go toward purchasing a library for the Lusted school district No. 15.

Mrs. J. G. Stephens made a visit to this place Thursday from her home in Tremont, Or.

Pleasant Home has the benefit of the Gresham rural delivery, which started March 2.

Uncomfortable for the Gang.

Policeman Isakson is making it uncomfortable for the gang of youngsters who have made a practice of congregating on the streets south of Division street. They have broken windows and raised much disturbance. It had been a common thing for stones to be thrown through windows library for the Lusted school district.

Telegraphic Brevities.

Emperor Francis Joseph has conferred the Cross of Officer of the Francis Joseph Order on George Hitchcock, the American artist.

Mrs. Ida Whittinger and her 15-year-old daughter were savagely assaulted yesterday morning at Indianapolis by an unknown man.

The safe in the State Bank at Kasota, Minn., was blown open by men early yesterday and $400 in silver taken. The robbers escaped on a handcar.

John D. Rockefeller has offered to give $1 to Arcadia College, Wolfville, N. S., for every dollar up to $100,000 raised by the college before January 1, 1908.

Mr. Smart, Canadian Deputy Minister of the Interior, is starting for the Continent after making an exhaustive investigation of the emigration work in the United Kingdom.

Dr. Herbert F. Fiske, principal of the Northwestern Academy, Chicago, who was stricken with apoplexy last Saturday, has had another stroke, and is again in a critical condition.

Ex-Speaker David B. Henderson, of Iowa, who is at the Waldorf-Astoria, says he is in New York on personal business, and refuses to talk for publication on any public topics.

The stockholders of the Osceola Mining Company, at Boston yesterday, elected three directors named by the protective committee and voted to continue the corporation for 30 years.

Hugo Gorlitz, agent of Richard Strauss, authorizes a denial of the published report that Strauss has been engaged to lead the orchestra of the Metropolitan Opera-House, New York.

The condition of Beriah Wilkins, owner of the Washington Post, who has been critically ill with paralysis since Tuesday at the Waldorf-Astoria, was reported yesterday to be further improved.

W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., has purchased of the estate of the late Colonel Harry McCalmont the steam yacht Tarantula, the first ever fitted with turbine machinery. The yacht is now at Southampton or Cowes.

Rudolph and Collins, the Union, Mo., bankrobbers, who were captured in Hartford, Conn., were yesterday taken to Union, where they were arraigned on the charge of murdering Detective Schumacher.

Glanders is epidemic among horses in New York City. Energetic measures are being taken to stamp out the disease, and orders have been issued for the destruction of all horses that are found to have the glanders.

President Francis, of the St. Louis exposition, and Charles M. Schwab were among the passengers on board the North German Lloyd steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm, which sailed yesterday from Paris for New York.

Conanicut Park, a Summer resort at the north end of Conanicut Island, in Narragansett Bay, has been sold, it is said, to the heirs of Henry Lippitt, of Providence, to a Chicago syndicate, headed by Dr. Allen of that city.

"Clover Nook," the Cincinnati home of Alice and Phoebe Cary, sisters, whose poems are widely known throughout the literary world, has passed out of the hands of their heirs, and will become a home for the blind, under the management of the Trader sisters, of Avondale.

Five Methodist Governors were guests of honor at a banquet at the Chicago Auditorium by the Methodist Social Union, last night. The Governors were: John H. Mickay, of Nebraska; Winfield T. Durbin, of Indiana; Aaron T. Bliss, of Michigan; John L. Bates, of Massachusetts, and Richard Yates, of Illinois. Governor S. R. Van Sant, of Minnesota, another Methodist, sent his regrets.

It is announced that the new $6,000,000 Croton dam in New York will be completed December 1. The new dam will increase the storage capacity for the city's water supply by the huge total of 32,000,000,000 gallons. The capacity of the dam is so great that should the city use water from it at the rate of 288,000,000 gallons a day, the present rate of consumption, the supply would cover the city's needs about 267 days.

J. F. Loomis, of Chattanooga, has been appointed receiver to take charge of the famous "Alger Painted Rock Land," in Marion County, Tennessee. About 12 years ago, Senator Alger, of Michigan, bought this property for about $200,000. He subsequently recovered about $50,000 on it. The land passed into the hands of Frederick Gates, Jr., and others. A savings bank in the East advanced money on a mortgage and wants to foreclose it.

EIGHT KILLED IN RIOT.

Furious Battle Between Negroes in Rival Turpentine Camps.

NORWALK, Fla., March 12.—Assessor Bullard, of McMeekin, who arrived at this place today, reports a desperate encounter between the hands of rival turpentine camps near Orange Springs, in which eight men were killed and a large number wounded. A contention arose about a matter of little importance between some of the negro laborers of Meggs' camp and those of Laws' camp. This aroused the fury of the entire crowd and precipitated a fight which ended in a general battle. Further details cannot be obtained.

British Squadron Goes to Havana.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 12.—The British squadron has sailed for Havana.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT

PORTLAND, March 12.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 44; minimum temperature, 30; river reading, 11 A. M., 6.1 feet; change in 24 hours, 1.1 feet; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.00; total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1902, 33.16 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1902, 34.91 inches; deficiency, 1.75 inches; total sunshine March 11, 0:00; possible sunshine March 11, 11:42; barometer (reduced to sea level) at 5 P. M., 30.02.

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

STATIONS.	Max. temp.	Precipitation past 12 hours.	Wind. Velocity.	Wind. Direction.	State of weather.
Baker City	30	0.04	*	NW	Snowing
Bismarck	22	0.00	18	N	Pt. cldy
Boise	56	T	6	N	Cloudy
Eureka	60	0.22	6	S	Cloudy
Helena	14	T	12	NW	Cloudy
Kamloops, B. C.	18	0.00	00	Clm	Clear
North Head	40	0.02	8	SE	Pt. cldy
Pocatello	54	0.00	10	NW	Cloudy
Portland	44	0.00	14	SE	Cloudy
Red Bluff	52	0.60	*	NE	Raining
Roseburg	38	0.10	*	N	Raining
Sacramento	56	0.00	6	E	Cloudy
Salt Lake	60	0.00	*	SE	Cloudy
San Francisco	54	0.10	6	SE	Raining
Spokane	38	0.00	*	NE	Pt. cldy
Seattle	34	0.10	14	NW	Clear
Walla Walla	38	0.06	6	NE	Cloudy

*Light.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Moderately heavy rain has fallen during the last 12 hours in Northern California and Southern Oregon, and light snow is reported in extreme Eastern Oregon.

It is much colder in Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho, and the temperatures continue below the normal elsewhere in the Pacific Coast States.

The indications are for partly cloudy and threatening weather in this district Friday.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Friday, March 13:

Portland and vicinity—Partly cloudy, with possibly light rain or snow; easterly winds.

Western Oregon—Partly cloudy, with light rain or snow; northeasterly winds.

Western Washington—Partly cloudy and continued cold; easterly winds.

Eastern Oregon—Partly cloudy, with light rain or snow.

Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho—Partly cloudy and occasionally threatening; continued cold.

Southern Idaho—Rain or snow; colder.

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MEETING NOTICES.

JOURNEYMEN TAILORS' UNION OF AMERICA, LOCAL NO. 74.—Attention! There will be a special meeting at the regular meeting place, 2d and Stark, Friday, March 13, at 7:30 prompt. Business of importance.
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EAGLE MEETING.—Regular meeting of Portland Aerie, No. 4, F. O. E., tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Business of importance to be transacted. JOHN A. WATSON, Worthy Pres.
T. B. McDEVITT, JR., Worthy Sec.

MYRTLE CHAPTER, NO. 15, O. E. S.—Regular communication this (Friday) evening in Masonic Temple at 7:30 o'clock. Social. By order of W. M.
JENNIE H. GALLOWAY, Sec.

HASSALO LODGE, NO. 15, I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work in the initiatory. Visitors invited. HY. BROWN, Sec.

ORDER OF PENDO will give one of their enjoyable whist socials on Saturday evening. Refreshments free. Don't forget to come.

DIED.

KNOTH—In this city, at his late residence, 190 East 8th st., March 12, 1903, Charles Knoth, aged 62 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

KNODER—In this city, March 12, 1903, at the family residence, 490 East Pine st., Frances Irene, daughter of Dr. A. F. Knoder and wife, aged 9 years, 4 months and 8 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at the above residence at 2 P. M. today. Interment Riverview cemetery.

MATTHEWS—March 10, at St. Vincent's Hospital, Elizabeth Florence Mary Gibson Matthews, beloved wife of Quimby L. Matthews and dearly beloved daughter of Hugh and Maria Dennison, aged 21 years, 8 months and 20 days. Funeral from Holman's undertaking parlors Friday, March 13, at 2:30 P. M. Interment in Lone Fir cemetery.

J. P. FINLEY & SON, Progressive Funeral Directors and Embalmers, cor. 3d and Madison streets. Competent lady ass't. Both phones No. 9.

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

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

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5-acre tract, all in cultivation, with good 8-room residence (needs some repairing), very good stable, etc., good well water, lies high and sightly, close to car line, on the East Side, between Kenilworth and Woodstock. This is a cheap property, and would make a nice home.

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$1500—A POSITIVE BARGAIN; 6-ROOM NEW modern cottage, two lots, on car line; easy payments, very attractive home; must sell at once. Shreve & Haslam, 421 Abington.

LOT IN WOODLAWN, NEAR CAR LINE; snap. Beautiful 6-room cottage, beautiful lawn, Albina, $1200, terms. Room 510 McKay block.

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WANTED—REAL ESTATE

WANTED—ABOUT 5 OR 10 ACRES, WITH house, near city and car line; give full description and price. Address B 20, care Oregonian.

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TO EXCHANGE.

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WE HAVE GOOD HOMESTEAD OR TIMBER claims near river; location fee very low. 167½ 1st, room 7.

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REAL ESTATE AND TIMBER LANDS FOR sale in Columbia County by J. B. Godfrey, St. Helens.

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244 ACRES IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY; 60 acres cleared and in high state of cultivation; 140 acres in good stump pasture, balance timber; all well fenced, well watered, good orchard; good 7-room house, large barn and outbuildings, and situated on leading public road. W. A. Shaw & Co., 243 Stark st., near 2d, Portland.

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TO LEASE.

QUARTER BLOCK ON SOUTHEAST CORner of 14th and Alder sts. Parrish, Watkins & Co., 250 Alder st.

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