WOMAN AND SIX CHILDREN DE-SERTED BY HUSBAND.

mphrey, Wandering Junk Dealer, Writes Peculiar Letter to Wife, but May Meet Her Again.

Descrited by her husband with six help-less children, Mrs. M. C. Humphrey ap-plied to the City Board of Charities res-terday for relief, and the attention of the County Court was called to the case, The ages of the children are 11, 9, 8 and 2 years and 18 and 3 months, respectively. There are four boys and two girls in the fam-

rey, according to his wife's statement, left them at Vancouver, where they were living in a tent, three weeks ago, and she has not seen him since, but re-ceived letters and postal cards from him stating that the burden was too great for rim to bear, and that the Lord would provide. The Humphreys lived in Portland and at Sylvan for the past five years, and they only recently went to Vancouver to reside. The authorities there became tired of assisting the mother and chli-dren, and considering them to be nonres-idents, sent them back to this city.

When Mrs. Humphrey and her offspring arrived at the Courthouse, she looked the picture of despair. She was straid they were going to be parted, and remarked tearfully: "I don't want my children taken from

me; I love my children." She was pacified with assurances that the question of taking her children away the question of taking her children away from her was not being considered, but only the matter of affording all of them relief. The woman stated that she became Humphrey's wife in Kansas 18 years ago, and that since they resided in Oregon he bought and sold junk for a living. A brother of her husband, who is a store-keeper in Chapman, Kan., she said, would easist her if she was there, and also her own brother. Mrs. Humphrey also stated own brother. Mrs. Humphrey also stated that when her husband left her he wore a full beard, but she had heard that he had since shaved clean,

She produced a letter mailed to her by her husband from Newberg, Or., dated Sunday, May 10, a copy of which is as

follows:

Dear Wife and My Children: I want to see you all, but feel sure the Vancouver citizens are all mad at me, and want to have me sent to the Washington Penitentiary because I don't and cannot supply your daily needs. I have a little money today, but owe it all to pay out tomorrow. I am afraid to go back to Vancouver. The people are not willing to help feed me or any of you when I am there, and threats were made, too, against me when I was there to make me trouble and to arrest. I feel sure you will all be guarded and provided for better, as I am and have to be away from you all, than I can do for you.

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You know I am over \$50 in debt, too, to Louis and Herbert Humphreys, and am in a poor condition to provide for you. It seems to me to be better for you all for me to be away, too, so you can have all you do need for daily food, etc. If I go back to you and don't have money to aid you, well, I am likely to be sent to State's Prison. Then I could not be with you or help you. My health, too, is slowly failing me, so I have got to docter myself now to keep out of the ground and the hospitals.

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I have a chance to go to Montana to work, free fare from Portland, to start Tuesday morning. That is about half-way to Kansas. Louis can help me through; there I will have a welcome home on earth. My past trouble and hardships for if years past have been an awful tax on me. I am offered \$5 for my cart, so with that I can go sure. I ask for forgivebess for all wrongs, for we may never meet again on earth, but I hope we may all meet in heaven. I feel very lonesome, but we all have to part here on earth. I have done all I have felt able to do for you all in different ways, but I cannot do enough to satisfy all. I must pay my own hills of expenses, so have to help myself now. Lord guard, guide and bless you all, and do all you honor, love and serve him, so you can save a good, happy home in heaven. Keep this letter and show it. Farewell. I go as far as Portland to-morrow.

Judge Webster requested the City

Judge Webster requested the City Board of Charities to provide for Mrs. Humphrey and her children last night, and today will probably arrange to send the family to Kansas, where the relatives are, which can be done for \$75. The rail road companies grant reduced rates of fare in such cases. If the father reaches as a family reunion may occur.

MANY NEW CORPORATIONS. Rush to Set in Under Provisions of Old Law,

The new corporation law goes into effect Thursday, and will largely increase the cost of organizing corporations. In consequence there is quite a rush to file ar-ticles before that date in order to get them in under the provisions of the old

Articles of the Northwest Mercantil Articles of the Northwest Merchanic Company were filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday by Joseph A. Woolery, Ralph Citron and M. L. Donaldson. Capi-tal stock, \$12,000. The objects are to act as agent in purchasing and contracting for the purchase of goods; to contract with manufacturers and original producers; to bendle stocks on commission, etc. handle stocks on commission, etc. Incorporation articles of the Portland

Pulley Company were filed yesterday by Martin W. Parellius, George A. Vegt and O. F. Paxton. Capital. 220,000. The objects are to buy, sell, manufacture and handle oden and metal pulleys, shafting, etc. Articles were filed of the Milwaukie Wostern Brewing Company by Ossian F. Paxton, Jarius V. Beach and Nathan D. Simon. Capital stock, \$200,000 The objects are to manufacture and deal in beer,

Articles were filed of the Title Protec-tion & Realty Company by John F. Logan, Charles S. Archer, William Reid and J. P. edy. Capital stock, \$2000. The ob-are to manage and deal in real esate, collect rents, act as trustee, etc. S. H. Parks, R. S. Leabo and J. H. Reseler filed incorporation articles of the Golden Ledge Company. Capital stock,

Incorporation articles of the Columbia River Land Company were filed yesterday by Guy Lombard, B. M. Lombard and A.

by Guy Lembard, B. M. Lembard and A. Cohn. Capital stock, \$10,000.

J. J. Febvet, M. Ward and A. Febvet yesterday filed articles of incorporation of the Western Oregon Gold Mining Company. Capital stock, \$1,25,000.

Articles were filed of the Weatherly Bonania Consolidated Gold Mines Company by B. E. Wright, R. W. Foster and W. W. Gibbs. Capital stock, \$500,000.

Sumplementary articles of incorporation

Supplementary articles of incorporation of the Automatic Street Indicator Company, increasing the capital stock to \$250,000, were filed yesterday by Charles E. Morgan, Jesse L. Briggs and H. D. Jones.

LABEL SUIT DECIDED.

Judges in Joint Session Agree in Pavor of Allen & Lewis,

Judge Sears yesterday handed down a joint-session opinion in the suit of Wadhams & Kerr Brothers against Allen & Lewis, in favor of the latter. The suit was brought to enjoin Allen & Lewis from using a label said to be similar in style and color to the "Monopole" label of Wadhams & Kerr Brathers. Wadhams & Kerr Brothers.

In deciding the case Judge Scars said in part: "The labels used by the de-fendants fall far short of an infringement: nothing but gross carelessess on the part of a purchaser accustomed to use those articles would permit & continion of goods or justify a deception. We have

BABES LEFT IN POVERTY opinion. The defendants, Allen & Lewis, TODAY IS CIRCUS do assert that they have a right to use their label; yet that it does not infringe, but they say unhesitatingly and positive-ly in both their answer and in the evidence of their manager and officers, that they have abandoned its use; that they will never employ it again upon their cans. For a mere abandoned use, for surposes of an accounting alone, with out a restraining order, equity is with-out jurisdiction, the appropriate remedy being furnished in a court of law. The plaintiffs have failed to establish their cause, and the complaint should be dis-

EACH ACCUSES OTHER.

Rogers and Wife Reunited and Their

Children Are Provided For. James Rogers, who filed a petition in the County Court Monday asking that his five children be surrendered to the custody of the Boys' & Girls' Aid Society. tody of the Boys & Giris Ald Society, yesterday withdrew the petition because his wife returned to him and a reconciliation took place. Mrs. Rogers was found at the Union Depot by Officer Slover Monday night on the arrival of the Astoria train, looking for her husband, whom, she said, had run away from her. She also said she was trying to find her. She also said she was trying to find her children. She acted strangely and the officer took her to the police station, where she was turned over to the care of the matron for the night. Rogers said his wife left their home Friday. They met yesterday morning and soon came to an understanding and went away together.

WILLIAM GRIMES ARRAIGNED. aloon-Keeper Is Charged With Sell-

ing Liquor Without License. William Grimes, a saloon keeper at Montavilla, was arraigned before Judge Cleiand yesterday by District Attorney Manning on a charge of seiling liquor without a license. The information re-cites that on April 28 last Grimes sold a half-pint of whisky to Raynor Keisey for 25 cents. Grimes was allowed until Monday to plead, and was released on his own recognizance.

His arrest is the outcome of a movement among the residents of Montavilla to do away with saloons. Grimes has a petition out for a license, but they say he has not a sufficient number of signers.

Claims Commission on Timber Land, James E. Page yesterday filed an attachment suit against John A. Benson and F. A. Hyde in the State Circuit Court to recover \$10,950 balance alleged to be due in timber-land transactions. Page, in his complaint, sets up that he is an export timber cuiter families with the leads timber cruiser, familiar with the lands in Skamania and Clark Counties, State of Washington, and asseted Benson and Hyde to secure title to two tracts of timer lands, one of 14,160 acres and another of \$220 acres, for the agreed consideration of 50 cents an acre. Page alleges on this deal he carned \$11,190, and was paid only \$2640, leaving \$8550 still due. Page further avers that he sold \$220 acres of land to E. A. Lawbaugh and Willis H, Gilbert for Benson and Hyde, for which he was to be paid \$410 and received only \$1610. The Sheriff, on instructions, garnisheed money n Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Bank belonging

Sue to Have Street Opened.

The suit of the Peninsular Real Estate mpany, M. Merriam Houston, Emma Brown and Sherman D. Recom-R. Brown and Sherman D. Brown, against Portland University and John A. Zahn came up for trial before Judge George yesterday. The plaintiffs ask to have a part of Ballantyne street opened to give them better access to their prop-The ground involved is at University Park. Pictures of the plats were introduced in evidence.

Verdict in Whigham Suit.

The suit of Maria Stewart Whigham against Supreme Court, Independent Or-der of Foresters, to recover \$2000 insur-ance, was submitted to the jury by Judge Frazer about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The jury was instructed to seal the verdict in case of an agreement and return it to the court this morning. The jury reached an agreement at 2 o'clock.

Sult for Divorce.

Suit for a divorce because of desertion was filed in the State Circuit Court yesterday by Martha E. Fisher against Ge Fisher. They were married in 1885 in Washington County, and the desertion began in December, 1991.

n to answer J. E. Allen vs. Northern Pacific Railway Company, demurrer to reply.

To Practice in Federal Courts. E. O. Potter, of Eugene, was yesterday admitted to practice in the United States District and Circuit Courts.

FENDERS FOR STREET-CARS Swigert Will Recommend Best for City and Suburban Lines.

General Managor C. F. Swigert, of the City & Suburban Railway Company, has returned after a six weeks' visit to the Eastern cities. Mr. Swigert went on a trip to select a suitable fender which the new laws require to be affixed to every street-car, and he reports that, after a eng search, he has selected two models

which may be of service.

The fenders in use in most American cities are of very little practical value, and a good one is hard to find. Mr. Swigert succeeded, however, in picking out styles that seem to be the best of the lot, and he will recommend their purchase. All cars have to be equipped with the safety devices before the beginning of 1904, and as the company has over 190 cars to work on, the task will be no small ne. In speaking of the matter, Mr. Swigert said yesterday:

"After a rather extended examination and that, too, of the best devices used on the best roads of the East, I am still of the opinion that any of them are adequate for the purpose, but we must do some-thing for the protection of the public, and shall adopt the best available fender. It s not a question of whether we shall get fenders, for that is decided; but it is now a question of what kind, and we shall be obliged to do the best with what is of-

There are many different kinds in use In fact, every different section seems to have a kind of its own; but all acknowl-edge that theirs are far from perfection. we shall not make a decision upon what kind to use until I have made a report to the directors and they decide for them-selves from what recommendation I can make. I am fully convinced of the kind that I consider the best, and shall make recommendations to the board and expect they will decide in a very short time."

Water Would Carry Cholera Germs, ST. LOUIS, May 19.—In his testimony in rebuttal in the Chicago Drainage Canal hearing, Professor Whipple, con-sulting engineer of the Greater New York Water Department, has given it as his opinion that in the event of a plague of Asiatic cholera in Chicago, germs of the disease could be transmitted through the water to St. Louis. Professor Whipple added, however, that under the existing conditions there is little or no probability of a plague of Asiatic cholera

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those articles would permit & confusion of goods or justify a deception. We have examined these labels in every point of view, and in every aspect of the case likely to arise, and our conclusion tends irresistably to the result expressed.

"A majority of the court inclines to the view that the first tomatic can, exhibit & would probably fail upon the application of this test, but equity will not enjoin the mere expression of an

NORRIS & ROWE'S SHOW WILL PA-RADE THE CITY.

Great Display of Acrobats and Performing Animals Will Be Seen on Streets Today.

Today is circus day and our country ousine will be in town early to enjoy with the city folks a gala day of pleasurand amusement. Norris & Rowe's big shows will be here with its train-load of performing animals, funny clowns and bands of music to gladden the hearts of the anxious juveniles. Norris & Rowe's reputation for progressiveness has pre-ceded them. This year they are said to have a still larger and better aggregation of performing animals than ever and have augmented their programme with a troupe of Japanese performers, a family of gymnasts and acrobats making the most complete and enjoyable performance

Since the days of our childhood circus, when old Dan Rice was the brightest shining star in the constellation of areni celebrities, it has been customary for all traveling shows to give a street parade and, although Norris & Rowe have noth-ing of the old-school "flavor" about their shows, but a thoroughly up-to-date ag-gregation, they still adhere to the old custom and give a grand parade each morning at 10:30.

The principal reason for continuing the old custom is that, while they are giving their thousands of patrons a free treat, they are, by displaying their magnificent animals and equipage, advertis ing their splendid performancee and show-ing the wonderful growth of their ag-gregation since its former visit. This show is too well known to require a de-tailed description. Suffice it to say Norris & Rowe always bring a multitude of new acts and novel features, which are equally enjoyable to old and young.

TO PRESENT WAR SCENE Realistic Sham Battle to Be Given Friday Night.

The praiseworthy object of the sham bat-tle, to be given Friday night, of this week, ought to insure the largest attendance that has ever assembled at the Portland baseball grounds. One-half of the pro-ceeds to go to the monument to all soldiers which the G. A. R. is to erect at Lone Fir cemetery, and the other half is to be used in beautifying and perpetuating the soldiers' plot in Riverview cemetry. There is something about war that appeals to the average mind it is probably due to the fact that the Anglo-Saxon riors who were just as patriotic and ready to fight for their homes and country as

is the American of today.

The committee of Spanish-American
War Veterans which has the battle in charge has perfected all its arrangements, and the programme prepared is a most ef-

fective one.

There will be a short parade at 7:30 o'clock, led by the Third Regiment band, through some of the principal streets, and at 8:15 o'clock the band will give a short promenade concert, followed by the cereiony of guard mount, by the veterans, after which the troops will go into camp, as if actually in the field. After mess has been served a little of the merry side of war will be shown and then taps. The sleeping camp will then be attacked and the defense will be as fine a piece of man-cuvering as it is possible to make. Each man will have 50 rounds of ammunition. and this, in addition to the two field pieces, will make a magnificent display. The baseball grounds, Twenty-fourth and Vaughn streets, can be reached by the "S" and Twenty-third-street cars, and arrangements will be made to handle the crowd expeditiously.

Tickets are being sold by members of

the Grand Army and Spanish-American War Veterans. Tickets can also be ob-tained at the entrance to the baseball

ARRANGING ITS EXHIBITS Oregon Information Bureau Gathers Attractive Displays.

Judge Cleland Will Decide.

Judge Cleland will announce decisions this morning as follows:

John F. Shorey vs. J. W. Hayes et al., Depot arranging exhibits from the various counties and control on the counties are control on t ous counties and other materials. The season of the year is not opportune for such work, but the exhibits thus far, while not complete, have been sufficient

supplied with much valuable material without expense. Colonel Judson has made a plan by which the best possible effect has been produced with the material at hand. The committee is proud of the work already accomplished. Co-operation is assured in the work of securing dealled information for the results for which the bureau was organized.

the bureau was organized. the bureau was organized.
All facts of interest to the homeseeker
and investor will be carefully tabulated,
and competent assistants will assure the
most courteous response to all inquiries.
The most careful attention will be given all visitors, and the committee hopes to make it, as the name implies, a bureau of information.

The office force has been kept busy with

visitors and correspondence. The register shows a wide range of visitors, embracing names from almost every state in the Union, and all of them eager to know about Oregon.

Much favorable comment has been ex-pressed at the interest Portland is tak-ing in this work. There is a manifest determination on the part of visitors from various parts of the state to aid the bureas in securing reliable information. The bureau already has a targe list of correspondence, and is able to give such in-formation as will enable intending set-tlers to locate themselves at the least possible expense. The public is invited to make free use of the bureau.

THIEVES QUICKLY CAUGHT They Rob Old Soldier on Train and Prove to Be Old Hands,

Captain of Detectives Simmons and De-tective Joe Day turned a clever trick res-terday morning by landing in the city jail Thomas O'Brien and George Wilson, alias "The St. Paul Kid," two of the emoothest pickpockets in the country, who were traveling in advance of the Presidential party to prey upon the crowds that will flock to Portland on

Thursday.

The Southern Pacific train arriving at 7:55 this morning, brought to Portland J. D. Dynes, an old soldier, who made all haste to the Police Station, where he related to Captain Simmons how his pockets had been rified by two young men, who left the train at Oregon City, No money had been taken from Mr. Dynes, but the thieves had stolen his pocketbook containing his pension papers and other personal documents. The loss was not discovered until the train left Oregon City, or Mr. Dynes would have followed the young men when they left

the train. Those fellows will come to Portland on an electric car," said Captain Simmons to Detective Day, and the two officers hurried out of the station and soon learned that three men had left an Oregon learned that three men had left an Oregon
City car a few minutes previous on the
East Side. Deciding that these men were
worth watching, the officers hurried to
the Madison-street bridge to keep a watch
for the suspects. They were just in time,
for, as they walked across the bridge,
they met two young men, carrying
bundles, whom they thought it advisable
to shadow. The young men went straight

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way to a lodging-house on First and Salmon streets and soon afterwards came out minus the packages. The suspects were followed until they started to separate, Captain Simmons following one and Detective Day the other,

Fifteen minutes later O'Brien and Wilson met, but under different circum-stances. Captain Simmons smiled when he found \$62.10 on Wilson and \$13 on

"Think I have met you before," said Detective Day to Wilson. The officer recognized the thief as "The St. Paul Kid," whom he had met at the World's and

Mid-Winter Fairs. "Guess we're up against it," remarked Wilson, and they admitted their identity. After being searched both pickpockets were locked up, and later were sent to Oregon City in charge of City Marshal Burns to stand trial there.

Academic Track Meet.

BAKER CITY, Or., May 19.—(Special.)— The Baker City High School track team

The Baker City High School track team goes to Pendleton on Friday of this week to contest for the championship in athletic sports with track teams from Pendleton and Union.

Last year the contest was held in this city, and the Baker City team won. At Walla Walla last week the Baker City boys came out second best, but they claim they were pitted against a college team of grown men, when they expected to meet boys of their own age. A large delegation of rooters will go from here to encourage the boys.

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

while not complete, have been sufficient to make an attractive display.

Through the efforts of R. C. Judson, of the O. R. & N., who is a member of the executive committee, the bureau has been supplied with much valuable material without expense. Colonel Judson has made a plan by which the best possible inches; deficiency, 4.82 inches; total sunshine when the supplied without expense. May 15, 1903, T hours 17 minutes; possible sun-shine May 18, 1903, 15 hours 6 minutes; barom-eter, reduced to sea-level, at 5 P. M., 22.98. PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

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North Head	52	T	16	SE	Clear
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*Light. WEATHER CONDITIONS.

BE INDEPENDENT. It's Ensy to Shake Off the Coffee

There are many people who make the humiliating acknowledgment that they are dependent upon Coffee to "brace them up" every little while. These have never learned the truth about Postum Cereal Coffee which makes leaving off coffee a simple matter and brings health and strength in place of coffee ills. A lady of Davenport, lows, who has used Postum Food Coffee for five years is competent

Food Comes for five years is competent to talk upon the subject. She says:
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for me that many of my friends took it up.
"In a short time I was well again, even able to attend evening socials. And I did not miss my coffee at all. Now I can truthfully say that I have been repaid fully for the change I made. I have no indications of heart disease and not once in the past four years have I had a sick

ous spell. "My father. B years old, is a Postum enthusiast and feels that his good health in a large measure is due to the six cups of good Postum which he enjoys each day." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There is a reason.

mal in the Pacific States, and cold local rains have occurred in the Willamette Valley and in Western Washington. Fair and cool weather prevails generally east of the Cascade Moun-

The indications are for partly cloudy weather, with showers Wednesday in Western Oregon and Western Washington, and generally fair weather east of the Cascade Mountains. WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for 28 hours end-ing at midnight, Wednesday, May 20: Portland and vicinity—Partly cloudy, with showers; alightly warmer; westerly winds. Western Oregon and Western Washington Showers; slightly warmer; westerly winds Idaho-Fair. EDWARD A. BEALS, Forecast Official.



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AUCTION SALES TODAY. By the Ford Auction Co., at 182 ist st., at 0 A. M. sharp. H. Ford, auctioneer

MEETING NOTICES. KREMLIN BAKU, I. O. M.— Nobles take notice! Wear your 'Fer," and turn out in the pa-ude with the Oddrellows in conc of the President on Thurs-lay afterhoon, May 21. S. W. STRYKER, Czar, E. E. SHARON, Recorder.

WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 46, A. F. & A. M.-Stated communication this (Wednesday) evening 8 o'clock. M. M. degree. All M. M. invited. By order W. M.

J. H. RICHMOND, Secretary. PORTLAND CHAPTER, NO. 8, R. A. M.—Regular convocation this, Wednerday evening, at 7:30. Visitors welcome. By order of the E. H. P. JOHN DEMPHEY, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

HATNES—At his residence, 328 Burnside st., May 18, Leonard S. Haynes. He left a wife and five sons—A. J., E. C., L. C., F. E. and R. B. Haynes. Funeral Wednesday, May 20, at 2 P. M., from Dunning & Campion's undertaking parlors Friends invited. Interment at Lone Fire cometery.

ment at Lone Fire cemetery.

BIRD—in this city, May 19, 1903, Ethel J. Bird, age 22 years, youngest daughter of N. H. and Alice T. Bird. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 714 Front st., Thursday, May 21, at 0.30 A. M. Services at the house and grave private.

HERRAIL—Mary A., widow of the late George Herrail. Born in London, Eugland. October 16, 1823, and died May 18, 1903, aged 79 years. The funeral services will be held at the chapel of J. P. Finley & Son, Wednieday, May 20, at 2 P. M. Friends invited. Please omit flowers.

J. P. FINLEY & SON, Progressive Funeral Directors and Embalmers, cor. 3d and Madison streets. petent lady asa't. Both phones No. 9. EDWARD HOLMAN, Undertaker, 4th and Yambill sts. Rena Stinson lady assistant. Both Phones No. 507

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