TO DROP THE FOURTH

Committee Is Asked to Give Fund to Heppner.

MEETING WILL DECIDE TODAY

Directors of Lewis and Clark Fair Urge That Celebration Be Abandoned and Money Raised Given to Heppner Relief Forces.

The Fourth or July committee and the subscribers to the celebration will meet at 18 o'clock this morning at the Com-mercial Club rooms to act upon a recom-mendation that the money donated for the celebration be transferred to the

Reports coming to Portland indicate that the distress in the flood district is greater than had been originally esti-mated, and that the need for sid will ex-tend beyond the subscriptions already made or those in sight. The smaller towns of the state have sacrificed their celebra tions of the Fourth of July, and promi-nent business men who have given lib-erally to both funds are urging the Fourth committee to abandon its plans

and aid the Heppner relief forces.

The Fourth of July committee had the question up in one form at its meeting Thursday evening, but it was understood then that the Heppner fund was sufficient and that the celebration could be carried out. Later reports indicate the necessity for abandoning the proposed observation of the Fourth

The directors of the Lewis and Clark Fair precipitated the action toward call-ing off the Fourth of July celebration. The firectors voted unanimously yesterlay af-ternoon to ask the committee in charge to divert the funds so as to ald the Hepp ner sufferers. Later in the day a meet ing of the Heppner relief committee with prominent business men showed the senti-ment in favor of this movement was widespread, and General O. Summers, chairman of the Fourth of July committee, called a meeting for this morning.

The question was brought before the Lewis and Clark Fair directors in an inci-dental manner. On behalf of the Fourth of July committee Paul Wessinger asked that the Fair grounds be placed at the disposal of the fireworks committee so as to give the pyrotechnic display at that point. No objection was raised to granting permission for the use of the grounds

it Acting President Scott suggested:
"Personally i would prefer that there
no celebration of the Fourth of July this year, and that the money raised for the celebration be turned over to the Heppner relief fund. With so much suf-fering at Heppner it does not seem right that we should go on with our plans for the celebration. I intend to take advantage of an opportunity to give expression to my sentiments in this matter in a more public manner.

There were immediate responses concur ring in the sentiment expressed by the acting president, though none of the di-rectors made an extended speech. Then motion that it be the sense of the meeting of the directors that the Fourth of July committee he requested not to hold a celebration was made and carried immediately. There was not a dissenting opinion expressed.

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Mr. Wessinger volunteered after the vote had been taken to put the matter before the Fourth of July committee. "I shall do so in a very forcible manner so that the committee will understand your its," he said to the other direc

I. N. Fleischner, chairman of the Heppner relief committee, who is also a me ber of the Lewis and Clark directorate but who did not attend the meeting yes terday, explained later that while his committee could use the Fourth of July fund to advantage he had not felt that he could make a formal request for it. He expressed satisfaction, however, that the matter would be brought to the commit-

tee's attention from outside sources.

The actual call for the meeting of the

throughout the state in abandoning their Radii plans for the celebration of the Fourth and had a strong effect upon the meeting last will night, and it was decided that what the smaller towns could sacrifice Portland could give up. No formal recommenda-tion was made as a result of last night's meeting, it being decided that the com-mittee itself would act favorably upon the receipt of fuller information from Hepp-

Julius L. Meier, chairman of the fire works committee, who had previously en-tered into a contract for the fireworks, telegraphed to Los Angeles ordering the contract held up until the committee met and took immediate steps to secure a

and took immediate steps to secure a call for a general meeting.

There is now \$3380 in the Fourth of July fund, a small portion of which has not yet been paid into the treasury. The committee has had some expenses which must be paid, and it might be that some subscribers would object to diverting the fund, resulting in an order to repay these persons the amounts they subscribed fund. persons the amounts they subscribed. But if the Fourth of July fund is added to the Heppner contribution it will swell the

General Summers makes an urgent request that all the members of the com-mittee attend the meeting this morning, as well as all subscribers who object to diverting the fund.

DON'T CELEBRATE FOURTH Charles J. Schanbel Urges That Fund Be Given to Sufferers.

PORTLAND, June 15 .- (To the Editor.) Permit me to file a puls darrein continu-ance suggested by the Fourth of July committee's action of last evening, also by Heppner's appeal to Eastern cities for financial help, published in today's dispatches. While disavowing any intent to suggest to others their business, yet, knowing the wishes of very many of the contributors to this fund and in order to relieve the committee from any violation of their trust, so called, it would be proper for an opportunity to be given the donors to express their choice between a military parade or relieving the suffering at Heppner. This can be done by a mass m ing of the contributors the same as was done yesterday at Athena. They will in-struct the committee, if given a chance, in no uncertain terms, and ask to forgo, this once, the "commercial" or dis-play, feature which has been our long suit for years. Just about the time the Fourth rolls around the filustrated newspapers of the world will be filled with acc descriptions of the Oregon disaster, it will be discussed and in the meantime Portland (the richest city in the Northwest) gives a monster awe-inspiring mili-tary parade and pageant, an expensive display tending to demonstrate military authority, strength and supremacy—a sort of defi to the elements not to do it again.

the circumstances. Emergencies like this do not call for a strict compliance of do not call for a strict compliance of fiduciary relations with any public entertainment committee. It is "up to" the committee to let the subscribers decide whether these funds should be "diverted" from a picnic to alleviating the distressed and needy. As it appears to me there is but one thing to do in the premises. Charity or voluntary assistance implies self-denial; can't we deny ourselves for once the "pleasure" of a noisy celebration? Patriotism founded upon military pageants or parades and the burning of powder is not the real thing by any means.

CHAS. J. SCNABEL.

HIS FATE FORE SHADOWED Article Published Nine Years Ago

Porecast Alexander's Death.

The recent tragedy in Belgrade

The recent tragedy in Belgrade attaches particular interest to an eritic headed "Servia's Boy Autocrat," fore-shadowing such an event which appeared in the Youth's Companion of June 14, 1884, and has been forwarded to the Oregonian by J. Harvey Harrison. The article reads:

"Alexander, the boy-king of Servia, will not be legally a man till his 18th birthday, in August, but he has been reigning monarch of Servia for more than a year, and proposes to be something like its autocrat in future. He has declared the constitution void, and revived a former constitution, an act vived a former constitution, an act which diminishes the power of the peo-ple and greatly increases his own pow-

Thus Alexander becomes once more the central figure in a political storm-cloud that may take a very wide range. Russia and Austria-Hungary are both covetous of influence in Servia. Should a civil war begin there, these great neighboring pow-ers would almost certainly sympathize with opposite sides, and they might be dragged into war in consequence.

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To be a conspicuous figure in stormy affairs is nothing new to the boy-king, for his father, King Milan, and his Russian mother, Queen Natalie, quarrelled for years so publicly, on domestic and political matters, that the family was a seasonal to Furnity and the storm of the control of

scandal to Europe. In 1887, when Alexander was 11 years old, Milan banished Natalie, who unexpectedly hastened away with the boy. He was taken from her forcibly by Ger-man authority and given back to his father, who then tried unsuccessfully to diverce the queen, and lived apart from

per until recently.
In 1889 Milan abdicated, partly becaus he could not get along with the Radical majority in the Servian Skupshina or Parliament, and partly because he wished to live in Paris. He left the throne to Alexander, but placed power in the hands of three regents, who were to act as such until the king reached his 18th

This arrangement lasted until April of last year, except that one of the regents had died, and the other two neglected or refused to have a third elected, as they should have done. This illegal course, together with arbitrary conduct on the part of the Liberal ministry of the re-gents, was obnoxious to Milan and Natalie, who had meantime somewhat patched up their quarrel. It is believed that they instigated the boy to the sur-prising course be fook.

In April, 1893, he invited the regents and ministers to a dinner, demanded their resignations, put them under the guard of soldlers with whom he had surrounded the palace, and declared himself ruling king. In this course he was applauded and supported by the army and the Radicals, the majority in Servian

"Since then be has had a difficult time in politics. He promptly ordered a gen-eral election, at which the Radicals triumphed. But the young king found that his Radical ministers wanted their own way, and not his. He dismissed them, and tried a Moderate or non-partisan ministry, who could not manage public affairs any better than the Lib-erals whom he tried next; for the Radicals kept their majority in the Skupsh

particular, the Radicals objected to In particular, the Hadicais objected to King Milan's return to Belgrade at the end of last year. He had no legal right to be there, for he had received a large sum on his agreement not to roturn to Servia. But Alexander wished to have near him his father, who is very popular with the army. Natalle was also in Belgrade, and she now became reunited to her husband.

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will submit, or try to depose the king and give his office to the head of another monarchical family that has historic claims on the Servian throne."

PERSONAL MENTION.

Samuel Freedman, business manager of E. H. Sothern, is in the city. Mrs. Henry Bratnober, of San Francis is among the arrivals at the Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Martin, Jr., of Klamath Falls, arrived yesterday and are

Dr. Alexander Blackburn will deliver the address to the graduates of Pacific Col-

Mrs. Thomas Cooper, of St. Paul, wife of the general manager of the Northern Dr. Flora A. Brown, who has been Eas

taking a post-graduate clinical course, re-turned to her home, 648 Belmont street

V. K. Hart, Arthur Craneton and H. O. Woodruff are a party of Army officers who stayed over Thursday night at the Portland Hotel.

Ex-Governor Horace Austin, of Minne-sota, arrived in Portland yesterday and is looking over the city. He has spent the Winter in California.

James A. McFadden and Miss Ella Mc Fadden, of Sewickier, Pa., and Thomas McFadden, Jr., of Coraopolis, Pa., were among the arrivale at the Imperial yesterday.

William H. Bennett leaves home this morning to accept a position in the First National Bank, at Heppner. He is well known in First Presbyterian Church circles in this city, and his excellent bas voice has been heard during the past sea son with male quartets.

United States Marshal Charles B. Hop-kins, of the District of Washington, came in from Spokane accompanied by his three daughters yesterday and spent the day at the Portland. He says this is the off sea-son in Washington politics and declined to discuss them, saying it would be "all hot

Mrs. C. B. Wade, of Pendleton, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs, will arrive in Portland this even ing when she will be a guest at the Im-perial Hotel until she leaves for Astoria Monday morning to attend the state con-vention of Women's Clubs, which meets there next week. .

NEW YORK, June 19. - (Special.) Northwestern people registered at New York hotels today as follows: York hotels today as follows:
From Portland—A. Graydon, at the Ashland; G. S. Taylor, at the Murray Hill,
From Seattle—A. W. Hawks and wife,
at the Herald Square; F. W. Spelr, at the

WOMEN'S MISSION WORK

CONVENTION OF METHODIST HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Mrs. Royal Tells of Work of Pioneer Ministers in the West-New Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Oregon Methodist Church was held yesterday in the Centenary Church. Conference President Mrs. Dell Stuart presided. There was a large attendance, and the day was a busy one. The church chancel had been

attractively decorated. In the forenoon Mrs. L. E. Rockwell read a paper written by Mrs. T. F. Hoyal, of Salem, wife of a well-known ploneer minister, on "Missionary Work in the Fifties," It contained a graphic description of the experiences of the pioneer min-isters and their wives, and was one of the most important papers of the session. It was remarkably well written. Mrs. J. M.

was remarkably well written. Mrs. J. M. Long's paper, "Things That a Home Missionary Society Should Know," was read by a friend in her absence.

"Ten Songs of Home Missions" was neity illustrated by Miss Minnie Frickey, with the assistance of Mrs. E. S. Miller and Mrs. E. N. Wheeler. It was a most beautiful surprise. She told of the rise and progress of the organization in all its departments, and the musical numbers rendered by Mesdames Wheeler and Miller were very pleasing.

rendered by McMannes, wheeler and Sill-ler were very pleusing.

Miss Frickey, conference missionary and organizer, told of the gift of 1300 promised her yesterday for the education of a San-ish girl as a deaconess by a woman of Portland. The girl is one of Miss Frick-ey's converts from Rockwood.

The officers newly elected are: Presi-dent Mrs. Dell Stuart; corresponding sec-

dent, Mrs. Dell Stuart: corresponding sec-retary, Mrs. O. S. Royal; recording secre-tary, Mrs. E. Roseman; treasurer, Mrs. J. Bennett; secretary of supplies, Mrs. J. D. The representatives to the convention were given a fine luncheon at noon in the lecture-room of the church.

TEN YEARS A PRIEST,

Rev. Father Black Receives Congrat ulations on Anniversary.

Rev. J. H. Black, rector of St. Fran Catholic Church, East Eleventh and East Oak streets, has just celebrated the 10th anniversary of his ordination to the priest-hood. Ten years lago last Tuesday he was ordained at Mount Angel and became connected with the Portland Cathedral as assistant rector, where he remained till he was appointed to St. Francis Church, a little over three years ago. Since that time the parish has grown rapidly. Steps have been taken to ra a building fund, and nearly \$600 has be secured. The intention is to accumulat this fund in its entirety before the new building is erected. Father Black says he wants to erect a building that will be a credit to the city and without debt. He has received much encouragement in this

Many heartfelt congratulations were received by Father Black on the 10th anni-versary of his priesthood. Outside of his own church he is highly respected. Dur-ling his recent trip in the East he made veral addresses and took pains to speak in behalf of the Lewis and Clark Centen-nial. In his speech at the great banquet of the Catholic Knights in St. Louis he spoke eloquently of the Fair. The nom-ination of places for holding the next con-vention afforded him another opportunity of doing so, and Portland received a large

RECOVERED FROM FIRE. Springwater District Rebuilding and Will Have a Sawmill,

Four wagons with machinery for a net sawmill at Springwater left Portland by way of Milwaukie and Clackamas yester-day morning for the Springwater Lumber Company, composed of Messrs. Van Dyke, Chandler and Lavergood. This mill will have a cutting capacity of about 25,000 feet of lumber per day. The owners yesterday purchased a pianer, which will be shipped to Springwater at once. The need of lumber in the Springwater district is very urgent, and has been ever since the great The boy-king, in order to legalize his fire of 1902 swept away fences, barns and

The Springwater Lumber Company has been operating a sawmill by means of a thresher engine, and turned out 437,000 feet of rough lumber in the past nine months, which has been used mainly in renewing fences and barns, but J. E. Green, who was with the wagons carrying the mill machinery, said that this did not begin to supply the demand. Most of the fences and barns, he said, have been rebuilt, but lumber is wanted

or houses.

The mill will be located on the place of The mill will be located on the place of J. H. Shipley, who has a half section of very fine timber land. The engine and boiler have 40-horsepower capacity. Mr. Green says that that district has nearly the offects of the fire and recovered from the effects of the fire, and is improving rapidly. When the Oregon Water Power & Railway Company com-pletes its railway to the Clackamas, it will open up that section to newcomers.

Ex-Mayor Hill's Funeral.

The funeral of ex-Mayor C. H. Hill, of Albina, will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the Central Methodis Episcopal church, corner of Bussell and Kerby btreets. Rev. W. T. Kerr, pastor, will conduct the services. Honorary palibearers will be selected from the G. A. R. and the active from industrial Lodge No. 29, I. O. O. F. It is expected that there will be a large turnout of veterans of the Second Oregon, in whom Mr. Hill took so great an interest. He personally assisted in the enlistment of a large number of young men from Albina, and on their return he gave them a banquet in his hall. He took great pleasure in the com-pany of the young men. The members of the Portland camps of the Second Oregon will be welcomed to the services. Lone Fir cemetery will be the place of inter

Will Build Dormitory. The trustees of the Oddfellows' Home at Kenilworth will take steps for the erec tion of the new dormitory next month. The board is composed of Joseph Micelli, W. T. Williamson, T. F. Ryan, Richard Scott, Mrs. N. P. Tominson, Mrs. Neille Guston and Mrs. Metzger. Mrs. Scott says the trustees have the plans ready and will have something over \$600. The plans were prepared in 1902, but the board found that material and labor had ad vanced so much that the money available was not sufficient and the erection was postponed till this year. The last grand lodge made ample provision to put up the dormitory.

East Side Notes.

St. Francis Academy closed for the year yesterday without any formal programme.

Miss Neille Daily received promotion from
the grammar grade. The school has had a successful year.

The horse attached to Troy Laundry wagon No. 7 got away from the driver yesterday on Union avenue, near Holladay avenue, and ran all the way to the laundry on East Weter and East Taylor without doing any damage.

Clackamas Grange No. 258 and Milwau-kie Grange No. 258. Patrons of Hus-bandry, will join in holding the annual "children's day" today in the Rusk grove in Milwaukie. Should the weather be unfavorable the gathering will be held in the Town Hall.

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WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Cloudy and threatening weather prevails generally in the North Pacific States, but as yet no rain of consequence has occurred.

It is warmer in Northeastern Washington, while elsewhere west of the Rocky Mountains the changes in temperature have been small and universals.

and unimportant.

The indications are for partly cloudy and oc

casionally threatening weather in this district Saturday without much if any rain. THE RIVER.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Portland and vicinity-Partly cloudy and oc

EDWARD A. BEALS, Forecast Official,

The temperatures this morning over the Up-per Columbia and the Snake River basing range between 52 deg. and 60 deg. and the weather is partly cloudy. It will be slightly warmer at the headwaters of these rivers Sat-

RIVER FORECAST.

The river at Portland will rise slightly dur

ing the next two days, and reach the following stages: Saturday, 24.2 feet, and Sunday it will come to a stand at a stage of 24.3 feet. The river at The Dalles will remain on a stand Saturday, and fall slightly on Monday. EDWARD A. SEALS. Forecast Official.

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PACIFIC COAST WEATHER

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Is a household word everywhere and will bear the closest investigation. Main 154 - Both Phones - Main 154

interest in the meetings of the Pioneer Association, but this year, for the first time in a great many years, was unable

Repairs are being made to the foun-dation bents of the Union avenue bridge over Sullivan's gulch. Some of the large timbers are decayed and had to be strengthened. This bridge must be kept open to the public, as it is the only was

Horace Brodie, A. S. Wells, David Hirs. Horace Brodle, A. S. Wells, David Hirs-tel and A. A. Bradley arrived home from Corvaills, where they were attending the Agricultural College. Percy Cupper and Byron Mayfield, graduates this year, are at the home of Horace Brodle, on the Powell road. They will leave for their homes next week. homes next week.

Milwaukie school district elected F. Burkhelmer director and Mrs. Maggie Johnson clerk. The board is now composed of Richard Scott, J. W. Grasley and F. Burkhelmer. Mr. Scott has been director for 21 years, perhaps the longest time for any director in the state. The time for any director in the state. The board will meet Monday and elect teach-

Fred Roberts lately in the employ of the Oregon Water Power & Railway Com-pany at Milwaukie, has resigned, and started yesterday for Minneapolis to take a course of instruction as a machinist Thursday evening the Milwaukle band, of which he was a member, serenaded him at the home of his parents. Tousts were proposed and responded to and refreshments served.

GRAFTERS AGAIN ACTIVE New York Police Are Attempting to Re-Establish Blackmail System.

The river at Portland reached a stage of 24 feet at 5 P. M. It will probably rise about two or three-tenths of a foot higher by Sunday afternoon or Monday and then fall slowly. NEW YORK, June 19.-In a speech be fore the Order of Acorns, General Francis V. Greene, Commissioner of Police, has fortiand and vicinity—Partly cloudy and oc-casionally threatening; westerly winds. Oregon—Partly cloudy and occasionally threatening; westerly winds. Washington—Partly cloudy and occasionally threatening with showers along the north coast; westerly winds. Idaho—Cloudy and threatening. intimated broadly that attempts are being made in the police department to re-establish the machinery of blackmail which he attacked when he remanded the ward men to patrol duty last January. He added that he hoped to thwart the plan by preventing the formation of a new chain of connections.

"I want to say from my experience," he said, "that the average policeman is not crooked. He has more temptations thrown in his way than any man in any other walk of life. He can make a month's salary in a minute by simply furning his head. The great majority of the force resist this temptation and do their duty.

"Organized blackmall has been broken organized blackman has been oroken in two and it has not been put together again yet, though efforts may be making in that direction. I think they can be defeated by preventing the re-establishment of the chain of connections." Portland Or. 24.0 0.10.00 15.0 33.0 The Dulles, Or. 43.0 0.00.00 40.05 8.0 Umatilla. Or. 24.9 0.20.00 25.0 34.5 Northport, Wash. 40.9 0.3 50.0 53.0 Wenatchee, Wash. 47.8 0.1 40.0 58.0 Riparis, Wash. 13.8 0.8 24.7 Lewiston, Idaho 13.1 0.8 0.00 24.0 26.0 Weiser, Idaho 9.5 0.2 10.0 28.5

ESTEE NOT A CANDIDATE. Hawaiian Judge Has No Desire to Be Governor.

HONOLULU, June 18.—M. M. Estee, Judge of the United States Court, who was mentioned as governor of Hawaii, has made a statement to the effect that he is not a candidate and would not ac-cept the office.

The Rev. Father Libert, provicar of the Hawalian Islands, has received his ap-pointment as Catholic Bishop of the Is-lands. His consecration will take place in San Francisco or possibly in Baltimore where Cardinal Gibbons may conduct the ceremony.

An order has been received by Collector Stackable abolishing Lebaina, Maui, as

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, June 19.-Maximum temperacontliant, June 19.—Maximum temperature, 79 deg.; minimum temperature, 59 deg.; river reading, 11 A. M., 24 feet; change in 24 hours, 0; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0; total precipitation since September 1, 1982, 30.71 inches; normal precipitation since September 1, 1982, 45.04 inches; deficiency, 5.35 inches; total sunshine, June 18, 1993, 9

A HEALTHY COUPLE An Old Soldier of 90 Had Some Coffee Experience,

An old soldier's wife described her coffee experience as follows: "My husband and I have been accustomed to the use of tea and coffee for a very great many years, and we were very fond of the coffee.

"Some time ago we received from a dear friend in St. Louis a Christmas box that included a package of Postum. I prepared some without reading the directions, and my husband said: 'Oh, non sense, this tastes just like the crust wa ter that was one of the luxuries they allowed to invalids 50 years ago. Then I looked up the directions, made the Postum as it should be made, and we both found it delicious.

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pay more attention to their children's diet there will be more health and happi-ness in the world and in domestic life generally. Little by little this change "Yours very sincerely for all that per-tains to health and happiness. Use our names if you wish." Names furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

sutherity, strength and supremacy—a sort of deft to the elements not to do it again. I am reliably informed that contracts entered into for fireworks, etc., can be rescinded and rescissions thereof (since hearing of Sunday's disaster) have been suggested by the manufacturers them solves who, it seems, are fully conscious of what we should do or not do under

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MEETING NOTICES.

ALHINA LODGE, NO. 101, A. F. & A. M.—Stated communication this Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock. Work E. A. degree, By order W. M. A. J. HANDLAN, Secretary.

GEORGE WRIGHT POST, NO. 1, G. A. R.-Attention! Comrades, you are requested to at tend the funeral of our late comrade, Charles H. Hill, of Company F. 39th Iowa Infantry at Central Albina M. E. Church, at 10 o'clock A. M., Sunday, June 21, 1863. Interment at Lone Fir cemetery, By order of J. WORICK, Commander.

HARMONY LODGE, NO. 12, A. F. & A. M.—Special communication this (Saturday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, Work in the M. M. degree. All M. M. are cordially invited. By order of W. M. W. M. DE LIN, Secretary.

INDUSTRIAL LODGE, NO. 98, I. 0, 0. F. Members are requested to meet at the hall. If Russell street, Sunday, June 21, at 9:30 A. M to attend funeral services of our late broths: C. H. Hill. Harmony, No. 106, and Penisular, No. 124, and visiting brothers requested.

J. A. EASTES, Secretary,

BORN. WOLCOTT-June 15, in Albany, to the wife of O. P. Wolcott, of Portland, a girl.

PRAME-George Washington Edward Frame, born in Providence Cottage, North Leigh, Oxfortshire, England, September 23, 1886, drowned in Williamette river June 18, 1963. Only child of B. A. and E. S. Frame. The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken

FUNERAL NOTICES. DILLON-Friends and acquaintances are re-spectfully invited to attend the funeral serv-ices of the late Captain William P. Dillon, which will be held at Finley's Chapel at 2 P. M. Sunday, June 21. Interment, Lone Fir completer.

Fir cemetery,

HILL-June 18, 1903, Chares H. Hill, aged
65 years T months 4 days, Funeral Sunday,
June 21, 1903, at 10 A. M., from the Central
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DUNNING—George W. Dunning, who died
June 16, will be buried at St. Mary's cemetery. Funeral will take place from his lance residence, 23 North 6th st. Sunday, June 21, at 1:30 P. M. Services at St. Mary's Cathedral, 15th and Davis sts., at 2 P. M. Solemn requiem high mass at 8 A. M. Saturday, June 29, at St. Mary's Cathedral, 15th and Davis sts., at 3 p. Mary's Cathedral, 15th and Davis sts.; and also solemn requiem high mass at 8 A. M., St. Mary's Cathedral, Vancouver, Wash. Friends are invited.

CATHEDRAL COURT, 957, C. O. F.-Notic be members of Cathedral Court, 957, Catho The members of Cathedral Court, No., Cannous Order of Foresters, are requested to meet at their hall at 1 P. M. Sunnay, June 21, for the purpose of attending the runeral of our deceased brother, George W. Dunning, J. K. STANTON, Chief Ranger.

DUNNING-Portland Lodge, No. 142, B. P. O. Elka, requests all Elks to meet at the hall, Marquam bldg, at 1 P. M., sharp, Sunday, June 21, to attend the funeral of our late brother, George W. Dunning, JOHN B. COPPEY, Scretary.

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