## MUST PAY FOR HEAT FRANCHISE

**Executive Board Names Price** for Laying Steam Pipes in the Streets.

### PERCENTAGE ON EARNINGS

General Electric Company, if It Accepts, Will Pay, in Addition to Lump Sum, Tax on the Gross Receipts.

Upon the acceptance of the franchise to lay and maintain pipes for the transmission of steam for heating purposes in this city, the Portland General Electric Company will have to pay into the municipal treasury \$1000, and the same amount per year for the first five years during which the plant is operated. For the second five years the company will have to allow the city 2 per cent of the gross receipts and for the third five years 2½ per cent. For the last ten years of the franchise the company will have to pay the city 3 per cent of the gross receipts. The Portland General Electric Company will also have to furnish an approved bond of \$50,000.

This is the plan outlined by the committee on valuation of the Executive Board which met with President Goode of the Portland General Electric Company yesterday morning. It was embodied in a report to the Executive Board which met yesterday afternoon and adopted it. The franchise will come up before the Council at the next meetmission of steam for heating purposes in

up before the Council at the next meeting for passage. Whether it will be smended by the Council is purely a mat-ter of conjecture. The committee on valuations consists of Thomas C. Greene, A. Cogswell and R. L. Sabin.

Bids for the construction of the Brook lyn sewer system were opened at the meeting of the board and the one sub-mitted by Paquet, Glebisch & Joplin, of \$242,377.51 was found to be the lowest. The Pacific Bridge Company sent in a bid of \$255,569.45, and there was another from R. W. Wakefield which was not totaled. The blds were referred to the sewer committee of the Executive Board. Blds on other improvements follow: s-street sewer, George Gordon,

Kirby-street sewer, Keating & Francy, 118.84; George Gordon, \$118.30. Minnesota-avenue sewer, Bechill Bros.,

Missouri-avenue, George Gordon, \$710.99; Keating & Francy, \$604.98. First-street sewer, George Gordon, \$208.35; Keating & Francy, \$206.77. County-road sewer, Keating & Francy,

Dakota-street sewer. Jacobson-Bade Company, \$850; Keating & Francy, \$960.68. Improvement of Dupont street, Bechill Bros., \$2187.87.

Improvement of Montana avenue, Be-chill Bros., 34490.20. Improvement of Shaver street, A. I. Keenan, 1407.21.

Improvement of Commercial street, Be-chill Bros., \$227.30. Improvement of East Seventeenth street, Bechill Bros., \$4281.51.
Improvement of East Thirty-first street, A. L. Keenan, \$2286.80; Glebisch & Joplin, \$2185.28.

Improvement of East Clay street, Joplin & Meeke, \$756.90.

Improvement of Irving street, Francy & Co., 567.20; Star Sand Company, 552.20. Improvement of Mallory avenue, R. J. Dubuhr, 12925.58; George Bowers, \$282.88. Improvement of Dawson street, J. B. Hart, \$11,235.08; Pe Company, \$10,918.15. Peninsula Feed & Fuel

Improvement of Beech street, Bechill Bros., \$11,580.94; Joplin & Meeks, \$11,-

### DEFIES ST. JOHNS COUNCIL

City Engineer Goodrich Will Retain Deputies-Explains Position.

City Engineer Goodrich, of St. Johns, is In a position to defy any action that the Council may take, and has not dismissed his two deputies, W. C. Elliott and George Scoggin, as demanded by that body. The City Engineer said yesterday that he had no intention of dismissing these men, for, he said, they are in every way competent, and no better can be found. Mayor Valentine only has author-Ity to remove City Engineer Goodrich, and that he will not do. The City Engi-neer is proceeding with his work the same as if no storm had spent its fury

Regarding the Improvement of Hayes street, where the contract was invalida-ted, City Engineer Goodrich said yester-day that work would soon go forward. Most all the property-owners have signed a waiver under which the contractors may go ahead with the work. This will prevent any loss. The City Engineer says that he did post two notices for that improvement at conspicuous points, but not at the two ends. He declares that the is vague on the subject of post-

The protests over other street improvements will come up at the regular meeting next Tuesday evening.
"The -rades of these streets are all

right," declares Engineer Goodrich, "and were established to secure proper drainage. Protests come from people who do not know anything about the work. The grades of streets must be established to secure proper drainage, and cannot be made to conform to the wishes and whims

### SPEND SUNDAY AT SEASIDE

Cheap Rates and Room for All, Via A. & C. R. R.

Take advantage of the two-day \$2.50 round-trip excursion rate offered by the A. & C. R. R. to Seaside and spend Sat-urday and Sunday at the beach. Ample modations at reasonable rates Tickets at 248 Alder street and the

### Ready Retort Wins Free Ride

Fred G. Mock, of Nampa, Gets Pass

visit at Long Beach. He is a director in two railroads, a property-holder to a large extent, president of one bank and director of another, politician, poet and author, and, in fact, an all-around man.

ambined, their length does not exceed 100

A few months ago Mr. Mock was visiting in Illinois and wished to make a trip of several hundred miles on the Illinois Central, one of the largest concerns in the country. He went to the president of the great corporation and stated his troubles, having already acquired the habit of riding on free transportation. After a man has once got into this habit he will go to the last resort every time

to keep from paying a cash fare. And Mr. Mock is no exception to the rule, even if he is a banker.

The Illinois Central official greeted the Idaho man rather cordially, but immediately became more dignified when the number of the visit was made known. purpose of the visit was made known. Mr. Mock produced his credentials, but even then the big railroad man was un-

moved.

The reilroad spesident ordered a clerk to unroll a huge map and asked the Idaho man to show him the line of the Boise, Owyhee & Nampa Railroad and the Idaho Northern, Incidentally, the Illinois Cen tral man showed Mr. Mock the territory covered by his road, thousands and thou-sands of miles. The Nampaite had already become dubious about the pass. The black line showing the Central Railroad was nearly as wide as the mark dis-

thighishing the entire length of the two Idaho roads together.

"Why, I can't give you transportation, Mr. Mock, the official said, "your rall-road is a joke beside ours. We have II,000 miles of track. Your two roads cover only a few dozen milea."
"That's true," replied Mr. Mock, "but our track is as wide as yours."

The Idaho man secured his transporta-

## CIRCUS HERE TOMORROW

FOREPAUGH-SELLS SHOWS WILL ARRIVE SUNDAY MORNING.

Day Will Be Devoted to Rest-Performances Monday and Tuesday -Parade Monday.

Five trains of rallway equipment bearing the Forepaugh-Sells circus will arrive here at an early hour tomorrow morning. Only the necessary work for housing and feeding the animals and workmen will be carried out, as Fore-paugh-Sells management hold Sunday strictly as a day of rest. Two perform-ances will be given daily Monday and

The Adam Forepaugh-Sells Bros. management stick to the old parade idea, and the big street parade will leave the show grounds after 9:30 o'clock Monday

Forepaugh & Sells Brothers' circus, one of the biggest shows in the world, gives the promise that everything up to date and worth while in the line of circus acts will be under the big canvases this sea-

This year the Forepaugh & Sells Broth ers' great shows are almost twice as big as ever before. The great tent will seat comfortably 12,000 people, and the me-nageries canvas is the largest ever made. furnishing commodious room for the arranging of 100 cages, lairs, dens and tanks. There are 500 horses with the huge shows, more than 200 of which are bred in the purple and highly educated. The zoological collection is comparably the rarest in existence. Three great the rarest in existence. Three great herds of elephants, including two perfect specimens of huge, fan-eared Africans; 20 of these bulky beasts perform amaz-

The groups of acting seals are another exclusive feature. They are shown on separate stages and act in unison at the direction of their owner and trainer. Captain Webb. This is the most instructive exhibition of ahimal training ever accomplished. mplished.

The pick and flower of the circus pro-fession in Europe and America appear in the extraordinary ring programme. Many of the acrobats, gymnasts, eques-trians, riders, equilibrists, jugglers, athletes, contortionists, dancers, wire artists and myriad other feature performers are and myriad other feature performers are introduced by the Forepaugh & Sélls Brothers in this country for the first fime. Progressive policy of this enormous amusement firm is illustrated this year in the production of a massively realistic and magnificently equipped spectacle entitled "Fighting the Flames." One thousand characters are in this production.

### WILL MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Committees to Discuss Campaign for Alaska Steamer Project.

A meeting of the joint committees of the four commercial organizations apsteamship project will be held next Monday evening at the Commercial Club. Methods of procedure will be discussed, and it is probable that a soliciting committee will be appointed to canvas the city for the purpose of gathering subscriptions to Isunch the proposition.

Voluntary offerings are still being made to J. B. Laber, secretary of the Board of Trade, who has been authorized to receive subscriptions until the committee. steamship project will be held next Mon

ceive subscriptions until the committee-men make other arrangements. At the meeting Monday night the list of the voluntary subscribers will be turned over to the committee, and it is expected that by that time the amount will be perhaps \$30,000. This sum will act as a nucleus for the newly appointed subscription com-mittee to begin its work. The four committee to begin its work. The four com-mittees which will meet Monday evening Justice Olsen, of the East Side, officiated

Commercial Club-F. A. Spencer, Jay of Rev. Dr. J. W. Brougher, who was ex-smith, T. W. B. London. Smith, T. W. B. London. Board of Trade-J. Frank Watson, E. N. Stoppenbach, Wallis Nash. Chamber of Commerce-Edward New-begin, Sol Blumauer, T. B. Honeyman, Manufacturers' Association-A. H. Devers, George Lawrence, Jr., and W. H.

### FIRE IN THE NICKELODION

Moving Picture Machine Blows Up, but Little Damage Is Done.

A small blaze which broke out in the Nickelodion, a moving-picture show at Sixth and Alder streets, yesterday after-noon, brought half of Portland's fire-fighters to the scene and caused the streets around to be jammed by crowds of spectators who thought the building was in danger. The members of the Commercial Club, which is directly over the store where the fire broke out, rushed out in a body with the flames in their old quarters fresh in their minds. The fire excapes on the adjoining build-ing resembled masts of a man-o'-war ing resembled masts of a man-o-war-fully "manned" by the girls from the de-

Department arrived, and very little damage was caused. One of the films in the Over Illinois Central After President of Road Has Refused Favor.

RED G. MOCK, of Nampa, Idaho, is in the city, returning home after a limit at Long Beach. He is a lightly burning his hand.

A Delicious Drink

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE A teaspoonful added to a glass of cold wa-ter Invigorates. Strengthens and Refreshes.

The two railroads with which Mr. Mock is connected run out of Nampa, and, and strengthens the whole system.

## JUDGE DECLARES **WOMAN IS INSANE**

Webster Says Mrs. Jarvis Was Slowly Starving Herself to Death.

OUTRAGE, SAY NEIGHBORS

Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Wood Stick to Story That Her Mind Was Not Affected in Any Way Whatever.

"I do know, or most firmly believe, that Mrs. Jarvis' mind is not affected."-Mrs.

G. W. Stewart, a neighbor. "Mrs. Jarvis is unquestionably deranged and had she not been sent to Salem she would probably have starved herself to

death."-Judge Webster. "Mrs. Jarvis is just about as sane a person as I ever met."-Mrs. John R. Wood, a neighbor, "Any one who refuses to cat must be crazy."-Mrs. E. S. Botsford, one of the

Whether or not Mrs. Jarvis is Insane she is now undergoing treatment at the Oregon State Insane Asylum. The women of Powell Addition still believe that Mrs. Jarvis should be at liberty and their in-dignation over the alleged inhuman treatment has not perceptibly cooled. Mrs. Botsford, who cared for Mrs. Jarvis while she was in Portland, is greatly incensed because of the allegations made by her neighbors that the unfortunate

nother was railroaded to the asylum. She says there never would have been any scandal if the neighbors had stayed their gossipy tongues until they had some-thing more than the product of their im-aginations to talk about.
"A lot of old cronies of the sewing cir-

cle variety are trying to do me up be-cause they don't like me, but I wouldn't care what they said if they only ad-hered to the truth," declared Mrs. Botsford yesterday. "We did everything we possibly could for Mrs. Jarvis, and if she possibly could for Mrs. Jarvis, and if she had stayed here but a few days longer she would now be dead. She was starving herself to death and we could not make her eat. We had to do something with her, and when Judge Webster and the physicians adjudged her insane her daughter reluctantly sent her to the asymm. The old lady was so weak from lum. The old lady was so weak from lack of food when she left here that she could hardly walk."
"But what makes me the maddest is

that it is said that I have abused the two little boys in my charge. One of them is the son of Ida Jarvis and the other my grandson. I treat them just like they were my own children, and instead of being mean to them. I really believe they are indulged too much. I never gave either one of them a hard whipping in his life and I never laid a severe hand on the Juvys how.

"Mrs. Stewart didn't half tell it all," said Mrs. John R. Wood, who lives next door to, Mrs. Botsford, in discussing the interview published in Friday's Oregonian, "While I hate to doubt the physicians who made the examination I don't believe Mrs. Jevile was any more insurance in the second of the control of the second of the control of the second of the control of the second o believe Mrs. Jarvig was any more insane than you or I. I know that the old lady was mistreated. Ida Jarvis and Mrs. Botsford would not let the neighbors go

there was no doubt that Mrs. Jarvis was insane, but expressed the belief that she would probably recover in time. He said he knew nothing regarding the circumstances leading to her derangement, but says there is no doubt but what she was unbalanced when he saw her.

"She hadn't eaten anything for days when I called at the Botsford house see her," said Judge Webster. "As when I called at the Botsford house to see her," said Judge Webster. "As far as we could learn, her husband had attempted to starve himself to death, but finally killed himself by jumping off a building. She had been brooding over this and often talked of suicide. She was thin and emaclated, and as she could not be persuaded to eat, I ordered her sent to the asylum for treatment."

Buys Clackamas County Timber. OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 17 .- (Special.)—A. N. Monroe, an agent acting for the Doernbecher Manufacturing Com-pany, of Portland, which operates a saw-mill near New Era, has closed a deal for taking.

lery, of Portland, and Robert E. Waddell,

of Gold Hill, and the slaughter consisted

of nothing more than the tying of a wed-

ern and Northern Oregon.
It seemed as though the whole of Portland was out at The Oaks last night to

witness the unique wedding ceremony. The gallant Mr. Friedlander was right on deck when the bridal party arrived at

the amusement park, and immediately took them in tow. Not once while they

were there did Mr. Friedlander give them the least bit slack, and he was unsuccessful in his attempt not to permit every-body at The Oaks a splendid view of the

happy and fortunate couple.
As soon as they alighted from the cars

Mr. Friedlander took charge of them, and for the purpose of "giving them a bit of fresh sir" took them to stroll, not

under the shady trees where is wafted the cool and invigorating breeze from off

the beautiful Willamette, but straight

down the avenue and every other place where there was a profusion of electric

lights. The bride wore a beautiful gown of crepe de chine, cut decollete, a long train and in her hair were gathered a

wore a brand-new suit of black clothes which looked as though it had been

out of press not more than ten minutes,

and, needless to say, he looked very handsome and manly. Of course, they

were not at all noticeable.

Mr. Friedlander walked straight ahead down the glittering pathway, but his head hung low and his eyes sought the

ground. He was thinking of the best manner to get the couple married with-out attracting much attention.

"D'Urbano ought to know that we are good-will.

The groom

bunch of bright red roses.

TRYING TO EVADE ATTENTION

COUPLE ARE MARRIED AT OAKS

Manager Friedlander Very Unsuccessful in Effort to Conduct

Ceremony Away from Public Gaze.

S H. FRIEDLANDER led two lambs | trying to pull off this marriage without to the slaughter last night. The anyone seeing it," he thought to himself. two lambs were Miss Dorothy El- | But despite Mr. Friedlander, the crowds

the purchase of about 700 acres of valuable timber land in Clackamas County. There is involved in the transaction about 30,000,000 feet of timber, but the consideration was not learned. purchase includes practically all of the timber along the north fork of the Mo-lalla River and several desirable tracts on Pete's Mountain on the West Side.

### AT THE THEATERS

What the Press Agents Say.

Clever Bill at the Grand. The usual Sunday performances will be given tomorrow at the Grand and this will be the last opportunity to see the pleasant programme which has delighted thousands during fine current week. Edward Kellie, the humorist, is a bint with his comical and well-told staries, while "At Camp Rest" is something new in the way of comedy sketches. This get is put on by those clever people, Charles B. Carter and Gussie Taylor.

Up-to-Date Show at Pantages.

Pantages offers a thoroughly up-to-date show at a moderate price. "The Old Guard," as presented by Henry McCray and his company, is pleasing to all. Other attractive numbers are Jeanette Pietcher, who is justly called "the Scottish Nightingule"; Merritt sisters, top-liners in the aluging and dancing line. "Wented—A Nurse," by a pair of clever artists, Mr. and Mrs. George Morrell: the great Meinotte, female impersonator, and many great Meinotte. Female impersonator, and many great Meinotte, female impersonator, and many

Star Opens Monday.

Do not forget that pext Monday evening the dramatic season at the Star Theater will open with "Caught in the Web," by the Aller This organization is caps ble and popular and for more than a year it has been playing to big business in Ta-coma. While in Portland the company will change its bill every week, putting on each play with care and attention to detail.

At the Cozy Lyric.

It is astonishing to note the unanimity with which everybody who visits the Lyric Theater expresses themselves as pleased with the performance, the players, the commess of the house and the entire arrangements for This week's bill, Regiment," is filling the theater at every pe ance. Change of bill occurs each Mon

Watermelon Race at The Oaks.

The race of the year is on at the Cakes his afternoon, Twelve darkles will toe the mark and see which can sink his tvories just through the heart of a big watermelon. first through the heart of a big watermelon.

A large platform has been raised on "the Avenue," and here, where everyone can get a good view, will be held this watermelon race. Manager Friedlander has had his darky contestants in training and has spent no end of money in buying large, juicy melons for the sons of the Southland to practice on.

It is no small task to devour a big melon, but it is a well-known fact that never grew watermelons too large for a darky boy to watermelons too large for a darky boy to steal and eat. However, it will be a ticklish job handling the big ripe melons on a plat-form and with no instruments except fingers and teeth, and the antics of these dozen plored boys will no doubt be funny beyond

### HILL LINES MUST EXPLAIN

Minnesota Demands Reason for High Rates on Certain Products.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 17.-In response to a letter sent to the State Rallway and Warehouse Commission by Governor Johnson vesterday, the commission today sent notices to all railroads operating in the state to show cause why rates on coal and farm products should not be reduced. The hearing will be begun at once. The Governor's letter stated that the hearings heretofore held had demonstrated that railroad rates were too high and that the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and the Soo railroads by offering to lower their rates on grain as a compromise to avoid further rate hear-ings, had shown that they could afford

### EASTERN EXCURSION RATES

August 7, 8, 9, September 8 and 10. On the above dates the Great North-ern Railway will have on sale tickets to Chicago and return at rate of \$71.50, St. Louis and return \$67.50, St. Paul, St. Louis and return \$67.50, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, Superior, or Sloux City and return, \$60. Tickets first-class, good going via the Great Northern, returning same or any direct route, stop-overs allowed. For tickets, sleeping car reservations, or any additional information, call on or address H. Dickson, C. P. & T. A., 122 Third street Portland.

street, Portland.

caught sight of the bridal party and fol-

lowed them to the whirl. There was a sea of faces in the background when the

party stepped upon the whirling machine, and Mr. Friedlander looked as though he

wished he could turn in a riot call to have the mob cleared away, so that Miss Ellery and Mr. Waddell could be married in peace. Justice Olsen raised his voice and

in the space of a few seconds it was all over. The sweetest little girl in the whole

wide world, according to Mr. Waddell, was joined to the grandest and manifest

man in the universe, according to Mrs.

Waddell, nee Miss Ellery. Then the party jumped in the cars and

were given the whirl of their lifetime. The cars stuck out straight from their anchors at a height never before attained

by the machine. Meanwhile the crowd cheered itself hoarse, much to the cha-grin and mortification of Mr. Friedlander.

Following the ride, Mr. and Mrs. Waddell were piloted to the Tavern, where they were dined and feasted. A most

sumptuous repast was served and the cu

by this time for Mr. and Mrs. Waddell

of happiness and bliss was flowing over

Following the wedding dinner, Mr. Friedlander undertook to conduct them

to the cars without passing more people

than there were in The Oaks at that time. With much strategy he led the way down

the avenue where are all the shows and

attractions. But his hopes were blasted. No sooner had they left the Tavern than

a big crowd took up the rear.

Mr. Friedlander, to get away from the ever-present mob, led the party into one

of the many sideshows. The crowd fell all over itself putting up dimes to get inside. Mr. Friedlander seemed much displeased. He didn't like to see such a

# TO HOLD DOWN LID

Policemen Ordered to Watch Saloons That Serve Women.

CAPTAIN BRUIN IS ALERT

Effort Will Be Made to Root Out Quiet Gambling Games and Punish Violators of Anti-Saloon-Box Law.

It has been known for some time that Portland is "opening up" and many com-plaints have been filed of late with the Police Department about women frequenting saloons in different parts of the city and quiet "games" going on in the back of saloons and cigar stores. A num ber of down town places were suspected of conducting gambling games, and it is known that several saloous in the lower part of the city are putting in boxes, which were taken out after the ordinance

was passed a year ago.
Captain Bruin's attention has been called several times to this state of things and he has been conducting a quiet investigation, the result of which was the following imperative order yesterday to the Captains of Police:

It has been brought to the attention of the undersigned that certain saloons have been earranging their interior plans so as to accommodate women patrons and it is well known that the number of these patrons has been increasing at an alarming rate the last two weeks. In a great many instances these women patrons are of an immoral character and seek to invelgle other women into these places and thus morally degrade otherwise decent people. It has also been rought to my attention that gambling is be ng carried on in the backs of cigar stores and saloons and in none of these cases has a report been made of such matters by the pa trolmen on the district to their respective Captain. The detective branch of this de-partment is too small to allow them to take up this work where it is so apparent and,

oo, it is the duty of the patrolman to know hese things and report them. I therefore respectfully request that you natruct the patrolmen under you and in your reliefs that they make note and report all such places where women make up a con-siderable portion of the patrons of any maoon, also the cigar stores and saloons where gambling is likely to be conducted. Here-after the officer of the district will be held accountable for the condition on his district and they should note that it is their duty to know what is going on in the territory covered by them. Respectfully, (Signed.) P. BRUIN,

Captain and Inspector of Police. It has been an open secret in the porestigating the rumors of gambling going on in backs of saloons and cigar stores. The gambling situation was practically gnored by the police in the last month and a number of patrolmen are said to have known about the existing condition to the districts without taking any their districts without taking any teps against the lawbreakers. Captain Bruin declared yesterday that

he means business.

"The pairolmen will have to obey this order or they will lose their jobs," said he, "and I personally intend to see that the laws in this matter are not violated."

The order was read to the pollcomen during change of shifts yesterday and somewhat cleared the situation, as the officers now clearly can see their duty. They were instructed by the captains to inform those saloonkeepers who are ne means business. inform those salconkeepers who are making changes in their places to keep strictly within the law and to report

every case in detail.

The docket of the Municipal Court and the police station for the last few weeks shows a large number of the probably led. toxicated women, and that probably led

FIRST INSTANCE UNDER RECENT ACT OF CONGRESS.

Permits Withdrawal of Townsites From Land Set Aside for Irrigation Purposes.

Much interest attaches to the approaching sale of lots in the new towns of Heyburn and Rupert, Idaho, from the fact that they will be the first to occur anywhere in the country under the provisions of an act of Congress approved April 16, 1906, providing for the withdrawal from public entry of lands needed for townsite purposes in connection with irrigation projects under the reclamation act of 17, 1902

The new law specifies that the Secre-tary of the Interior may withdraw not exceeding 160 acres in each case, and surey and subdivide the same into town public purposes. In accordance with this idea, the towns of Heyburn and Rupert have been laid out under the Minidoka reclamation project, and the sale of lots in the two places will take place August

in the two places will take place August 29 and 37, respectively.

A peculiarity of the transaction exists in the fact that each lot has been appraised under direction of the Secretary of the Interior, and the bids for the same must equal the value placed upon it by the Government. All bids for lots are sealed, and in due time will be opened and the sale made accordingly. The ppraisement is also preserved in screey, the idea being to give everybody a square

the idea being to give everybody a square deal in the matter.

The local reclamation service received advices yesterday from the O. R. & N. Co. to the effect that today a ten days' round-trip ticket would be sold to Heyburn for \$28, and August 25 round-trip ticket. tickets to Rupert would be on sale at \$27.55, also good for ten days.

### MUST REMAIN A WIDOWER

Dr. E. W. Appleby, of St. Paul, Falls to Break Wife's Will.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 17.-Judge Haliam today decided that the antenuptial agreement between Dr. E. W. Appleby and Cornella Day Wilder, which provided that Dr. Appleby should draw from the estate of Mrs. Appleby annually \$10,000, providing he did not marry again, is valid. The estate of Mrs. Appleby is valued at \$850,000, and is a part of what is known as the Wilder Churity, which by the wills of Mr. and Mrs. Wilder and their daughter, Mrs. Appleby, all deceased, was left in trust to the worthy poor of St. Paul. The entire estate amounts to about \$\$x.000.300.

large crowd patronize one of his shows. So when he came out he went into another show. The crowd followed again.

Mr. Friedlander was so displeased by that thus that he come of the come "Hello, Friedlander!" his friends sang that time that he got angry and took the "Hello. Friedlander!" his friends sang out to him. But he paid no attention, and his eyes remained riveted on the gangplank. Occasionally, however, he raised his head to locate the biggest crowds and the brightest electric lights, Just then the band struck up the wedding march. The bride blushed, the groom dittoed and Mr. Friedlander tried to put on an air as though much annoyed.

"D'Urbano ought to know that we are Dr. Appleby sought to have the ante-Dr. Appliedy sought to have the ante-nuptial agreement declared void. He also tried to have set aside the char-itable request in his wife's will, on the ground that it was void, and that the Wilder home, with a fund of \$5000 a year for maintenance, was rightfully his, whether or not he lived in it. The his, whether or not he lived in it. The Probate Court decided adversely to Dr. Appleby on all these points, and an ap-

peal was taken to the District Court, which today decided with the Probate

### SUICIDE FOUND IN BRUSH

Two Boys Discover Body in Sitting Posture, Gun in Hand.

Elmer Stone and Arthur Olson, boys,

found the body of a suicide on the Cor-nell road, back of Willamette Heights, yesterady morning. The suicide was a man of medium height, of light comman of medium height, of light complexion with a heavy, sandy mustache and from his clothes it is evident was a laboring man. The body was in a sitting position with a revolver in the right hand. They notified the police authorities and Deputy Coroner Finley had the body removed to the morgue. Nothing was found on the man to identify him outside of the name "Murphy," written on the liming of his vest. A small handkerchief was also found bearing the inscription "A Present From Ireland." His pocketbook contained a \$5 piece. The boys heard two shots two days ago at the place where shots two days ago at the place where the body was found and, peering over the bushes, saw the man sitting down, but thinking he was reading did not disturb him. Yesterday they saw him in the same position and upon inves-tigating found he was dead.

Chinese Praises Things American. NEW YORK, Aug. II.—There were fully 500 Chinamen on the pier of the Hamburg-American line yesterday when Kang Yo Wei, president of the Chinese Empire Reform Association, salled. He had completed a year's visit to this country, Mexico and Canada, and was going to observe conditions in Russia, Spain, Gresce and Portugal.

observe conditions i Greece and Portugal, "When the reform party goes into power at home," said he, "your methods will be copied." Particularly did he praise American women, saying that their beauty and the freedom of their lives were extremely attractive to him. He wished that the women of China were as beautiful and could live as unhampered

### Alleged Extortionist Caught.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Maurice L. Freeman, of Brooklyn, an examiner employed in the State Controller's office, was arrested last night on a charge of extortion. The complainant is a mining company in Broad street. It is alleged that several weeks ago Freeman told the manager of the company that by the payment of \$250, stock could be transferred in this state without the necessary stamp. The police were notified, and a stamp. The police were notified, and a detective was sent to the mining company's office yesterday. It is alleged that a marked bill was paid, and Freeman was arrested. He denounced his arrest, asserting his innocence.

### First Codfish Schooner In.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Aug. 17.-A special to the Herald says that the schooner Alice, the first of the Alaska codfish fleet from Anacortes, roturned to that port at 2 P. M. today with a good cargo from the northern waters.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE ON SOUTHERN

Under the new schedule going into effect on the Southern Pacific lines August 18, train No. 11, which has formerly left Portland Union Depot at 3:29 A. M., now leaves at 8:A. M., 30 minutes earlier, and train No. 12, instead of arriving at 5:55 P. M., as heretofore, now arrives at 7:15 P. M. On the West Side division between Portland and Corvallis, train No. 2 now leaves Portland Union Depot at 7 A. M. instead of 7:30 as under the former schedule. On the Portland-Cowego suburban service, train No. 35, due to leave the Jefferson-Street Depot at 4 P. M., and train No. 35, due to arrive Portland at 5:95 P. M., have been discontinued. PACIFIC.

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20,000 buyers participated at the opening sale of unclaimed freight at 104 First street, yesterday; 20,000 actual buyers. The Consolidated Merchandleing Company was not prepared for the crowds which besieged the storeroom as early at 5 o'clock, one hour before the opening of the sale, and, although the force of sales persons was comparatively large, many buyers could not get proper attention. To remedy this we have secured 50 additional salespeople for today. Saturday, and to accommodate as many buyers as possible we will keep the salespoom open until 8 P M, or Saturday. room open until 8 P. M. on Saturday night. The amount of goods disposed of on the first day would indicate that we can close out this enormous stock of mea's women's and children's wearof mea's women's and children's wearing apparel within ten days. To fill up the decreased stock, caused by yesterday's tremendous seiling, we have opened up to more cases of merchancise and the opening into morning will prove just as interesting as yesterdays. This is a partial list of new goods opened for today's seiling, added to the thousands of articles left over trom yesterday. Come as early after 9 o'crock as you like and stay as late as you want to, we are prepared today to give you the best of attention. The gatespeople have become more familiar with the goods and can help you in your selections. The new goods opened up comprise:

'y dozen ladies' Purses, Pocketbaoks, Handbags, etc. 15e.

50 dozen men's Vests. 39e.

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