PREPARING FREE TEXT-BOOK BIL

Representative Beveridge Wil Work for Measure in Next Legislature.

NEBRASKA ADOPTS PLAN

Years-Saves Money to Parents and Increases School

Attendance.

The free text-book question has been renewed since the opening of the city schools, and J. W. Beveridge, State Representative for Multnomah, is preparing a bill for free text-books, which measure vill be presented to the Legislature next Winter, Mr. Beveridge says the bill, if enacted, will reduce the total annual outlay for school books more than one-half, but that this is only one of the ad-vantages of free books. Others are: First-They increase the school attend-

Second-They save time in the organiz-

ation of a school.

Third—They secure complete uniformity
of text-books in the school.

Fourth—They enable teachers to control better the organization and discipline of

Fifth-They enable the teacher to enpublic property.

Sixth—They spread a richer course be-fore pupils in the lower grades. Seventh—They render more frequent

Eighth—They take away still further the barrier between well-to-do and poor

That the average annual cost of books per pupil would be between 75 cents and \$1 each, under the free system, and that the present cost, including the high school course, is not less than \$2, is the opinion of Mr. Beveridge, who has au-thorities in other states to back him up. Nobraska's State Superintendent of Public Instruction, William K. Fowler, is one of Mr. Beveridge's authorities.

Reduces Cost to Parents.

Under normal conditions the average cost per child (including children from the kindergarten to the end of the high the kindergarten to the end of the high school course) for books, when purchased by the individual parent, would be not less than \$2 per year. Figuring on the enrollment in the schools of the state for the past five years and the amount spent for text-books and pupils' supplies for the same time, an average cost of 64 cents per child per year is the cost under the plan of district purchase." The Beveridge bill will limit the price of books paid by districts to that granted by publishers to any dealer or other district. This will diminish the cost considerable by the cost considerable

rict. This will diminish the cost con-siderably by cutting out retailers' profits. Favorably inclined to the free book idea is R. F. Robinson. County Superintendent of Schools for Multnomah, who points out that free books would enable the speedy promotion of pupils to grades to which they are suited, whereast teachers beginted to advance pupils between terms which they are suited, whereas teachers heaftate to advance pupils between terms because of the cost of books; and sometimes pupils who ought to go back a grade are kept advanced for the same reason.

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Experience proves that where proper care is exercised by the School Board and the teacher, the free-book system is popular and satisfactory, but that it becomes a detriment and a nulsance whenever pupils carelessly soil, mark, deface the books. Teachers must appeal to the pride of pupils, enforce on them respect for public property and in-sist on habits of neatness and cleanli-

They should make regular inspection of books at least once a month, no other care agency being more effective. They must also hold pupils responsible for preserving and returning books in good

Nebraska Law a Success.

The Nebraska law was enacted in 1891. Five years later the law had found wide-spread favor as was evidenced by questions concerning its success, put to county and city superintendents, principals and country school teachers, by H. R. Corbett, then superintendent of State Instruction. The following are comments

Is the average condition and care of books

Does it promote regular attendance? Of the 161 answers 50 say "yea," 58 "no," and 14 are doubtful. Is there any marked decrease in the en-

is there any marked decrease in the en-tire cost of books to the community as a whole? Of the 168 answers, 128 are "yes," 25 "no" and seven doubtful. Do school boards as a rule furnish books more promptly and in sufficient quantities? Is the supply more full, prompt and satisfactory than when pupils furnished the books? Of the 176 answers, 161 are "yes," 12 are "no" and three are doubtful.

How Books Are Cared For.

What means are employed for eccuring good care of books? "Regular inspections books be-ing inspected and their contents recorded by the teacher"; "books numbered and charged to

ing inspected and charged to pupils in text-book register"; tact and care on the part of the teacher"; tact and care on the part of the teacher"; "pupils required to purchase books lost or carelessly injured"; "covers for books"; careful use of books "cases"; care insisted upon by school boards"; "talks to teachers in institutes and associations"; "circulars to teachers."

I consider it safe to affirm that wherever proper attention has been paid to the administration of the law, the results have been highly gratifying to school authorities, teachers and patrons. It is, furthermore, eafe to assume that once having come to understand the advantages of this logical extension of the free-school idea, the people of Nepulsals will not willingly go back to the system formerly in use.

Mr. Beveridge thinks it will not be difficult to secure passage of his bill. A free-book law has been in operation in the State of Washington for eight years.

ADJOURNS FOR TWO WEEKS

Bar Association Committee Defers Action in Land-Fraud Matters.

No action was taken last night by the grievance committee of the Oregon State Bar Association relative to the disbarment of lawyers implicated in the land frauds, and further proceedings were postponed for two weeks on ac-count of the illness of Earl C. Bro-

naugh, a member of the body. Charles F. Lord, one of those cited to appear and show cause why he should not be disbarred from practice in the courts of this state, was absent from the city at the time the notices were sent out, hence had not been notified in

time to arrange any defense, and this fact also operated as a factor in the postponement.

Judge A. H. Tanner was the only one of the trio on hand, and he was not detained long. H. H. Turner, the Salem lawyer, who was likewise accused, made no appearance.

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The grievance committee consists of W. E. Thomas, chairman, R. A. Leiter. Oscar Hayter, H. G. Platt and E. C. Bro-naugh, all of whom were present except the latter.

STATEMENT FROM DR. HILL

Pastor of First Presbyterian Tells Flock Why He Resigned.

Dr. Edgar P. Hill, at a prayer-meetng held jast night at the First Presbyterian Church, told his reasons for leaving Portland. There was nothing sensational in his remarks, and he had only the kindliest words for his church and congregation and for Portland. Law Works Well After Trial of Five Dr. Hill leaves Tuesday for Chicago, where he will accept the position of professor of homiletics and applied Christianity at the McCormick Semi-

Dr. Hill stated that when he left on his recent trip to the Holy Land he had faily intended to return to Portland to remain. He assured his congregation that he had no intention whatever of staying away for a year, only to come back and resign his pastorate. He said he had been preaching two sermons a week for over ten years, and that he went away to store up a fund of new knowledge by visiting the large churches in the East and seeing the Holy Land, so that when he returned he would be prepared for another ten

years in this city. When he received the unexpected and unsolicited call from the McCor-mick Seminary, of which he is a graduate, he saw an opportunity to aid young men preparing for the ministry, because of his many years of experience. He thought they needed some of the Western spirit, and Dr. Hill said he deemed it his duty to accept. Dr. Hill stated that he did not think

They enable the teacher to enforce cleanliness and neatness and to impress on pupils respect for books and for public property. have thought of going to

Walter McDonald, Alias J. R. Burns, Arrested by Police Detective.

Excess baggage in the form of names and biank checks were prominent factors in the downfall of Walter McDonald, alfas Jack Burns, allas J. R. Burns, alleged bartender. He was arrested yesterday at noon by John A Mears, of the detective bureau, and locked up in the city jall on a charge of forgery. McDonald, alias Burns, is accused by

Otto W. Nelson, proprietor of a salcon at First and Morrison streets, of having drawn a check for \$50 on the Security drawn a check for \$60 on the Security Savings & Trust company, which was cashed by Nelson. When presented for payment it was refused on the ground that there were no funds there to the credit of "J. R. Burns."

Investigation by Nelson and the city detective bureau revealed that Waiter McDonald, Jack Burns and J. R. Burns are and the same and

are one and the same individual, and that the check was drawn and presented to Nelson for payment simply because McDonald needed the money.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS.

Births.

CHAMBERLAIN-At 681 Tillamook street, eptember 18, to the wife of Charles T. Cham-

CASTELL-At 92 North Seventeenth street, eptember 19, Howard M. Castell, a native

Oregon, aged 16 years, 6 months and 6 HELLAND-At 963 East Sixteenth street

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North, Bunhart H. Helland, a native of Norway, aged 37 years, 5 months and 16 days,
JONES—At St. Vincent's Hospital, September 18, James Jones, aged 50 years.
JUNG—At 271 Pine street, September 18,
Lee Jung, a native of China, aged 60 years,
Remains taken to Hongkong for interment,
KANE—At Good Samaritan Hospital, September 19, Mrs. Maourit Kane, a native of Orsecon, aged 35 years.

egon, aged 35 years. MORIYAMA—On way to hospital, September 16, S. Moriyama, a native of Japan, aged 33 years.

TRAVER-At 1238 East Elevanth street
North, September 18, Walter B. Traver, a
native of Kansas, aged 18 years, 6 months and 3 days. Remains taken to Forest Grove

Is the average condition and care of books is the average condition and care of books better or worse than it was in the same for interment.

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Does the free text-book system lead to any
Increase in school enrollment? Of the 172
Gisevers, 129 say "yee," 37 "no," and six

IT, Jack Wilson, a native of Fidland, aged 82 years, 9 months and 11 days. Remains taker to Astoria for interment.

Building Permits. MRS. KERN-Repair dwelling, Union ave-nue, between Division and Iven; \$50. H. GILMORE-Repair dwelling, Grant street, between Hood and Front; \$100.
W. L. WOOD—Repair store, North Third street, between Couch and Burnside; \$600.
M. B. JOHNSON—Repair dwelling, Durham avenue, between Winoma and Dekum; \$350.

M. NELSSON-Two-story frame dwelling,
East Eleventh atreet, between Halsey and

Weidler; \$2500. MARY C. NELSON-Repair dwelling, East

P. PADRICK-One-story frame dwelling, East Eighth street, between Clackamas and Marion; \$500.

L. S. KAISER—One-story frame barn, Mar-tilla street, between Madison and Jefferson;

AL RITTNER-Two-story frame dwelling. East Mill street, between East Sixth and East Seventh; \$1900. GEORGE AINSLIE & CO.—One-story frame shed, Pettygrove street, between North Four-teenth and North Fifteenth; \$100.

Marriage Licenses. M'DONALD-CRAWLEY-J. P. McDonald, 1194; Morrison, 32; Elen Crawley, 26; POSTON-STRATTON-Theron Poston, 225 Eleventh street, 24; Leah Stratton, 22 ZIEGNER-WEBB-Martin Ziegner, 195 Bast Seventh, 36; Christina Webb, 41 MARINO-STOSI-Alfonso Marino, 650 Fifth, 38; Possa Stosii, 29

Kid Sullivan Knocks Out Briggs.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 20.—Kid Sullivan of Washington, D. C., knocked out Jimmy Briggs of Boston in the ninth round of a bout here tonight, scheduled to go is rounds. After the first three rounds the contest was all in Sullivan's favor.

REDUCED RATE TO SPOKANE

One Fare for Round Trip. One Fare for Round Trip.

The O. R. & N. and Southern Pacific have announced that account the Pacific Northwest Convention of Commercial Bodies to be held at Spokane September 25, their agents will sell tickets from all points on their lines to Spokane and return for one fare for the round trip, tickets to be on sale September 23 and 24. The rate frm Portland will be \$11.20. Tickets at City Ticket Office, Third and Washington streets.

IS POURING IN

Interest Increases in Association Building Fund and Success Is Promised.

NOW SUBSCRIBED, \$87,803

Committees Complete Preliminaries and Expect that Hand on Dial Will Move Rapidly During the Remaining Days.

The campaign of the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations for a modern new home is now fully under way. Organization is practically complete and nearly all the soliciting committees are in the field, or will be by this morning. Here is the story in figures, of the enterprise thus far: Ladd estate pledge, \$50,000; raised Tuesday, \$13,150; raised Wednesday, \$13,035; raised yesterday, \$11,008; amount remaining to be

secured, \$262,297.

Those figures do not tell all, though.

If they did the outlook would be discourag, for no day thus far has been pro-ductive of its share in the 18 days given to raise \$350,000. The work of organizing and preparing the local field must be taken into hand. Beginning today the workers expert to reap the harvest that has been sown in preparing big sub-scribers to loosen their purse-strings. Sixteen days remain of the campaign, and in order to meet success each day must produce at least \$16,488. The day

that falls behind this ratio must be looked upon, in itself, as a failure, although it is believed more than one day will fail to yield so large a return but that others will make up the deficit. Today Promises Much.

With the campaign now on in earnest, with an army of workers in the field and with many promises of large subscrip-tions, the work from today hence will take on a most interesting aspect. It is bolieved by the workers that today will be particularly a heavy one. One \$15,000 subscription and several others running up into four figures are counted upon. It is thought that the tally-clock at head-quarters will jump past the \$100,000 mark before noon. It should pass the \$150,000 mark by Saturday evening.

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Four large individual subscriptions were entered yesterday. T. B. Wilcox added \$5000 to the fund, while J. C. Alnsworth, F. A. Kribs and W. W. Cotton gave \$1000 each. The Business Women's committee took in \$571, the Young Men's committee took in \$571, the Young Men's committee. \$1123 and miscellaneous subscriptions reached a total of \$1515, bringing the total for the day to \$11,608 and the grand total

to \$87,793. eral and the matter is the subject of no end of speculation and discussion in clubs, homes and on the streets. None but predictions of success are heard. In fact the possibility of failure is regarded as being very remote. Nevertheless the undertaking is a gigantic one and those in charge declare that failure is not only a possibility but that it can be avoided only by the concerted help of everyone while to lend a band of the concerted help of everyone

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RUSH—At 315 Flanders street, September 20, to the wife of M. Rush, a daughter, SMITH—At 1045 Grant street, September 20, to the wife of Joseph L. Smith, a son.

Deaths,

RROWN—At Lincoln avenue, September 17, Imalah Brown, a native of Indiana, aged 67 the work upon his return to New York.

It was his belief that the enthusiasm of public and committee workers cannot organizations will shortly meet to copsulations aggregating \$40,000 and by the concerted help of everyone able to lend a hand.

Subscriptions aggregating \$40,000 and Alaska Steamship Company, and Captain Chilcott, who is representing the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the entire amount terprise shown by the local workers and the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the entire amount terprise shown by the local workers and to make the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the entire amount terprise shown by the local workers and to make the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the entire amount terprise shown by the local workers and the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the entire amount to company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the company in this city, expressed the belief yesterday that the company in this ci public and committee workers cannot carry the plan short of complete success.

Rallies to Be Held Tonight. Tonight railies will be held by both the M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. at their respective headquarters. At the Y. M. C. A. rooms a special musical programme 'will be tendered and several speakers will give their views of the work, after which general discussion of the campaign will be invited.

Miss Constance MacCorkle issued the following statement last evening to the workers of the Y. W. C. A.: Perhaps it is not fully understood that the anguet at the Hotel Porliand was for the numbers of the business girls' building comtee, and a few girls representing differ-phases of business and professional life-ce it would have been impossible to have had our 1100 members at this banquet, there is to be a membership rally at the Y. W. C. A., corner of Sixth and Oak Streets, at S. A., corner of clock tonight. There will be music, lots of the fun and a recital of interesting facts of the

name a rectail of interesting facts of the campaign.

No money solicited at this gathering. Girls, don't let the young men beat us. You know they are to have an assembly the same evening in their building. Come ready to yell our yells and sing our songs.

MORE SINGERS ARE' ADDED

Lakme Quartet to Appear at Building Fund Sangerfest Today.

The list of musicians who will participate in the big musicale to be given in the interests of the Y. M. C. A .- Y. W. C. A. building fund at Mrs. Ralph Hoyt's tomorrow afternoon, has been enlarged by the addition of several more fine singers. The Lakme Quartet, consisting of Mrs. May Dearborn Schwab, Mrs. W. A. T. Bushong, Mrs. Frank Taylor and Miss Ethel Lytle, will render several choice numbers, and Mrs. Fletcher Linn and Miss Ethel Shea will appear as soloists. This will make up a programme of variety and inter-est, giving the best of Portland's talent

talent.

The sangerfest will commence at 3 o'clock, and the public is cordially invited to attend. An admission of 50 cents will be charged for the benefit of the building fund. Mrs. Hoyt's residence is at the corner of St. Clair and Main streets. Main streets.

There was continued activity at the building headquarters yesterday, and both committees did good work. Mrs. MARINO-STUSI — Allones Marino, 655 Pilin, 8; Roca Stori, 29.

SEGARINI-RICHMOND—Louis Segarini, 22; Adeline Richmend, 19.

JOHNSON-MALONE — Allecort Johnson, 8cattle, 26; Catherine Malone, 18.

both committees did good work. Mrs. Rockey announces the names of Mrs. George M. Collins, Mrs. William Mac-Kenzie, Mrs. Fred D. Chamberlain, Mrs. Fletcher Linn and Mrs. C. R. Templeton for the women's committee. as additions to the women's committee of 100.

Changes Proposed in City Charter. ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 20 .- (Special.)-The ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—The commission which is preparing a list of proposed amendments to the city charter to be amended by a vote of the people next December met last evening and adopted several amendments. Principal among them were ones dividing the city into four election wards, in place of three, and providing for two Councilmen from each ward and one Councilman-at-large. The amendments adopted also provide for an election every two years the for an election every two years, the first one to be held in December, 1908, when a complete set of city officers, including nine Councilmen, shall be elected, the terms of the men holding office the first of next January continuing for the

DEPLORABLE CONDITION CURED BY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

A Scranton Woman Tells How She Was Made Well and Strong By This Remedy.

Nervous debility is the common name for what the doctors term neurasthenia. It is characterized by mental depression, fits of the "blues," or melancholy, loss of energy and spirits. The patient's eyes become dull, the pink fades from the cheeks, the memory becomes defective so that it is difficult to recall dates and names at will. Some of these symptoms only may be present or all of them. The remedy lies in toning up the nervous system and there is no remedy better adapted for this purpose than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. Jane J. Davies, of No. 814 Warren street, Scranton, Pa., says: "Some years ago I became greatly reduced in health and strength and my nervous system became so debilitated that I felt wretched. I could not rest or sleep well at night and woke up as weary and languid in the morning as I was when I went to bed. My head ached in the morning and often there was a pain in my right side which was worse when I sat down. My nerves were on edge all the time, every little noise bothered me

and I was generable miserable.
"Then I decided to try Dr. Williams" Pink Pills for Pale People, as my husband had taken them with good results, and they did wonders for me. Now I have no more pain in my side, no more headaches, I sleep well and feel strong and able to do my work."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best nerve tonic because they convey nourishment to the nerves in the only way that is in accord with the plan of nature -through the blood. These pills cured Mrs. Davies and they can do just as much for every weak, pale ailing man or woman who is slipping into a hopeless decline. They strike straight at the root of all common diseases caused by poor and impoverished blood such as anæmia, indigestion, billousness, headaches, back-aches, rheumatism, neuralgia, nervousness and even more serious nervous disorders.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y.

coming two years. After that, five of the nine Councilmen and all the other city officers are to be elected each two years.

PROSPECTS FOR PORTLAND-ALASKA LINE BRIGHT.

More Than One-Fifth of Necessary Stock Already Subscribed-Business Men Do Good Work.

Subscriptions aggregating \$40,000

\$10,000 of the stock, and several other organizations will shortly meet to copsider the question of making subscriptions. The following committees are assisting in the work:

W. H. Beharrell, Captain William Gadsby and Ira F. Powers, of the Wholesale and Retail Furniture Dealers; M. G. Thorsen, of the Paint and Oil Dealers' Association; George W. Weatherly, of the creamery men, and W. B. Glafke and John A. Bell, of the

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W. B. Glarke and John A. Bell, of the commission men.
Captain Chilcott stated yesterday that when the season had closed Seattle would have shipped approximately 100,000 tons of freight to Nome this year, exclusive of coal and lumber. About 30,000 tons of coal is shipped to Nome each year, and about 5,000,000 feet of lumber. The coal goes from British Columbia, but the lumber is furnished by the Puget Sound mills.

Higgins Asks for Divorce. W. B. Higgins vesterday instituted a

Nervous!

There are many causes of nervousness, but poor blood heads the list. The doctors call it anemia. The blood lacks red corpuscles. At your first opportunity, consult your doctor about taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Ask him if he has anything better for weakness, debility, nervousness. If he has, take it. If not, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Get well, that's what you are after.

Te have no secrets! We publish | J. C. Ayer Co., - formulas of all our medicines! Lowell, Mans.





FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

SPECIAL SALE

JuteSmyrnaRugs

These rugs are 9x12 and will fit almost any room. Attractive designs and colorings in Oriental and plain effects. A remarkable value for those who want a cheap rug.

Price \$9.75

J. G. MACK & CO.

Exclusive Carpet House 86-88 THIRD STREET

TODAY AND TOMORROW ONLY

PHIL METSCHAN, President and Manager



European Plan - - - - - - - \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 per Day. against Elizabeth A. Higgins, whom he accuses of deserting him June 18, 1903. The couple were married December 21, 1899, and they have one child, a son named Edgar Russell Higgins, who is 6 years old, now living with his mother at Los Angeles, Cal.

New Investment Company.

Articles of incorporation for the Invest-nent Company of Oregon, were filed with the County Clerk yesterday by William A. Bantz, Louis G. Ciarke, J. L. Hartman and H. H. Northrup, incorporators. The capital stock is \$25,000, divided into 250 shares. The principal place of business is Portland.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Sept. 20.—Maximum tempera-ture, 78 degrees; minimum, 56 deg. River réading at 8 A. M., 4.9 feet; change in past 24 hours, rise 0.3-foot. Total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., none; total since Soptember 1, 1906, 1.81 inches; normal, 0.95-inch; excess, 0.86-inch. Total sunshine, September 19, 1906, 12 hours and 18 minutes; possible, 12 hours and 18 minutes. Barometer reading (reduced to sea-level) at 5 P. M., 20.84 inches. PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

STATION.	Maximum temp	Precipitation past 12 hours.	WIND.		Stat
			Velocity	Direction.	eather
Baker City	84	T. 0:02		W	Pt. Cldy.
	86	0.00	12	NW	Clear
Boise		0.00	13	NW	Cloudy
Helena		0.00	4	N	Clear
Kamloopa, B. C		0:00	100	***	Pt. Cldy.
North Head		0.00		NW	Cloudy
Pocatello		0.00		8 NW	Clear
Portland Red Bluff		0.60		SE	Clear
Roseburg		0.00	4	w	Clear
Sacramento		0.00	12	S	Clear
Salt Lake City	82	0.00	4	NW	Clear
San Francisco		0.00	12	W	Cloudy
Spokane		0.00		W	Clear
Seattle		0.00		N	Cloudy
Tatoosh Island		0.00		W	Cloudy
Walla Walla	192	0.00	1	SE	Clear

WEATHER CONDITIONS. Although the barometer is relatively low over the North Pacific States and the weather s somewhat unsettled, no rain of consequence has occurred in this district during the last 28 hours. There has been a slight general fall in temperature, but it is still warmer than usual everywhere in the North Pacific

The indications are for increasing cloudiness this district Friday, without much if any WEATHER FORECASTS. Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours nding midnight, September 20: Portland and vicinity—Increasing cloudtness, other; northwest winds.

Western Oregon and Western Washington-ncreasing cloudiness; cooler interior; north-Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and forthern Idaho—Cloudy and occasionally Southern Idaho—Fair.
EDWARD A. BEALS, District Forecaster.

AUCTION SALES TODAY. By J. T. Wilson at salesroom, 208 First street, at 10 A. M. J. T. Wilson, Auctioneer. At the Portland Auction Rooms, 211 First street. Sale 2 P. M. C. L. Ford, Auctioneer. At Gilman's auctien rooms, 418 Washington street, at 19 o'clock A. M. S. L. N. Gilman, Auctioneer.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

URECK-In this city, September 19, 1906, at the family residence, 564 Front street, Anna Greck, aged 21 years 8 months 21 days, Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at the First Evangelical German Church, corner Tenth and Clay streets at 2 P. M. Friday, September 21. Interment Greenwood Cemetery. Cemetery.

SINS—At residence, S3 North Fourteenth, September 20, 1906, Michael Sins, aged 55 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Anna and father of Louise and Arthur Sins, of this city. Funeral will take place Saturday, September 22, at 8:45 A. M., from residence, thence to St. Joseph's Church, Fitheenth and Couch streets, at 9 A. M. Interment Mount Calvary cemetery. Friends respectfully invited.

DUNNING, M'ENTEE & GILBAUGH, Successors to Dunning & Camplon, undertakers and embalmers; modern in every detail; 7th and Pine. Phone Main 430. Lady assistant. EDWARD HOLMAN, Co., Funeral Director, 220 3d st. Lady assistant. Phone M. 507. J. P. FINLEY & SON, Funeral Directors, No. 261 Sd st., cor. Madison. Phone Main S. P. S. DUNNING, Undertaker, 414 East ZELLER-BYRNES CO., Undertakers, Em-almers, 273 Russell, East 1088. Lady ass't.

ERICSON UNDERTAKING CO., 400 Alder PIANO STUDIO-LOUIS H. BOLL PARLORS 9 AND 10, 842 % WASHINGTON street is now open for reception of pupils

KEYES-Mrs. Stuart Keyes (nee Mabel Lan-yon) died at Seattle, September 18, 1906. SINS—At residence, 83 North Fourteenth street, September 20, 1906, Michael Sins, aged 55 years.

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CASTEEL—In this city, September 19, 1906, at the family residence, 92 17th st. N. Howard, beloved son of Merrit and Josephine Casteel, aged 16 years.

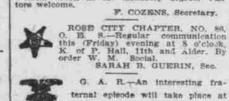
KING—In this city, September 20, 1906, at the family residence, 5844, Northrup st., Mary King, aged 88 years, 8 months and 4 days. Funeral announcement later. KING-September 20 at the residence of her grandeon, H. W. Wing, Mrs. Mary King, mother of James W. and Carrie King, Mrs. L. V. Starr and Mrs. F. W. McLeran, ages 88 years and 9 months; a pionear of 1848. Funeral notice later.

MEETING NOTICES.

MULTNOMAH CAMP, W. O. W.—Meets every Friday evening at East Sider and East Sixth streets. All Woodmen cordially invited to meet with us. J. M. WOODWORTH. Clerk.

PORTLAND LODGE, NO. 55, A. F. & A. M.—Stated communication this (Friday) evening at 7:30, Masonic Temple, Work in M. M. degree, All Master Masons invited. By order of W. M.

I. W. PRATT, Secretary. HASSALO LODGE NO. 15. L. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. Work in the initiatory degree, Visi-



close of George Wright Post this (Friday) evening, September 21. Comrades and women of Relief Corps invited.

S. J. MICKLEY,

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