YEARS OF GROWTH

Speakers Relate History of Calvary Church.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Records Show Healthy Increase of Membership, While the Members Have Been Generous In Support of Church and Outside Work.

The celebration of the silver anniversary of the Calvary Presbyterian Church was continued last night, the services beginning at 8 o'clock and continuing for more than two hours. Rev. W. H. Landon, D. D., a former pastor, told of the "Influence of the Calvary Church on the Pacific Slope," while Rev. W. S. Gilbert, also a former pastor led the Scripture reading. W. B. Moneyman gave a historical skeich of the work of the church, and Rev. L. M. Boorer, the retiring moderator, brought congratulations from the Presidents.

Presbytery.

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In his sketch of the progress of the Caivary Church Mv. Honeyman said that up to 1880 the First Presbyterian Church, spoken of as the "mother" of the Caivary Church, was the only Presbyterian Church in Portland. On June 23, 1889, he said, at the request of W. S. Ladd, a number of the members of the First Church organized the boards of trustees of the Caivary Church and of the St. Johns Presbyterian Church both of which were incorporated. A site was donated to the church he said, and after securing 36009 the board invited bids, but as these were felt to be too high the erection of a church was postponed for a time.

"Hello Bill" in Matinee Today.

"Hello Bill" the face comedy which is making a sensition at the Empire this week be face to making a sensition at the Empire this week bide fair to get the management in trouble. A small injured himself and was going to sue the company for dampary. Matines today and another Saturday.

Western Drama at the Star.

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"In the meantime the Mission Sunday school had been struggling along with varying success in the old Academy building," said the speaker, "and the majority of the officers and teachers thought they would have to give it up. But in 18sl, when new quarters were badly needed, they determined to move into the Advantity cheat at Thirteenth and Main streets. tist chapel at Thirteenth and Main streets. This effort to build up the Sunday school was successful."

Honeyman told of the organization of the church and its growth up to the present time. He gave the following re-port, covering the work of the church during the 25 years of its existence:

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į,	Total	1,258	
,	Adult.	164 189	
	Total	353	
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	Ministerial education	1,108	
d	Ministerial relief.	3,011	
	Missions to freedmen Aid to colleges and acade- mics.	1,120	

Total to the church Misee lianeous benevo-Total to all benevo-

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Total for all contribu-Just before the conclusion of the services the pastor read the roll call of the deceased members, which are as fol-

Rev. John Morrison, Mrs. E. Ainsworth, Rev. John Morrison, Mrs. E. Ainsworth, George J. Ainsworth Mrs. E. Beebe, Mrs. Bancroft, Dr. O. B. Bird, Mrs. H. C. Coleman, Mrs. W. B. Fry, Miss S. F. Gould, John Honeyman, Mrs. M. A. Honeyman, William Honeyman, Wesley Jackson, W. C. McKean, Mrs. W. C. McKean, Mrs. Clara Skinner, Mrs. A. B. Sutton, Mrs. L. B. Strong, Mrs. Ellen Strong, Dr. C. C. Strong, Mrs. H. M. Smith, Mrs. Williamette, William Wadhams and Mrs. A. H. Withington.

The Portland Presbytery adjourned until this morning at 2 o'clock, when it will convene in Calvary Church.

JAMES L. ALLEN IS DEAD

Pioneer of 1850 Passes Away at East Side Home

In the death yesterday of James L. Allen at his home, 640 East Twenty-second street, a ploneer of 1850 passed away, after having fived for more than away, after having lived for more than half a century in and near Portland. He was born in West Virginia 72 years ago. When 21 years of age he came to Ohio with his parents, where he lived until 1850, when he crossed the plains with a train of ox teams, arrivers. ng at Portland when there were only

a few houses here.

Abraham Hill, one of the best-known pioneers of the state, was Mr.

Allen's father-in-law. Mr. Allen was one of Portland's first Road Super-visors, and helped build the county road that runs near the grounds of the Lewis and Clark Exposition. He had been both an Oddfellow and Mason, but of recent years was not affiliated with either order. He also had been a member of Taylor-street Church.

Mr. Allen is survived by the following children: Stephen, Laud and Miss. Ethel Allen, of Portland: Mrs. Elizabeth Stants, of Airlie, Or., and Frank Allen, of Texas. The funeral will take place today at 16 A. M., from Dun-ning's undertaking chapel, East Sixth

WORK FOR MORE WATER

East Side Improvement Association Favors New Pipeline.

At a brief session of the East Side Improvement Association last night, W. L. Boise presiding, charter amendments were informally discussed. It was the opinion of those present that the provinion for the second Buil Run pipe-line was probably the most important. Mr. Boise declared it to be his conviction, judging from the rapid growth of Portland, that unless this second pipe-line is laid within the next two or three years Portland will experience an actual water famine. He predicted that the population of Portland would nearly double inside of ten years, and that at that ratio of increase the present water were informally discussed. It was the opinion of those present that the provision for the second Bull Run pipe-line was probably the most important. Mr. Boise declared it to be his conviction, indiging from the rapid growth of Portland. That unless this second pipe-line is laid within the next two or three years Portland will experience an actual water familie. He predicted that the proposition of Portland would nearly double inside of ten years, and that at that ratio of increase the present water supply would not be sufficient inside of two years.

It was decided to take active measures after the primaries have been held to put before the people the needs of the second Bull Run pipe-line and the merits of the proposition to issue \$65,000 of bounds for rebuilding the Madison bridge. As to the free-water bill, the opinion was freely expressed that the discovery of the "loker" by which the 2-mill tax for the building of bridges was to be bilminated would result in that measure

The following letter from L. Zimmerman was read:

At a meeting of the South Portland Improvement Association to be held in the near future, I shall openly oppose any measure of resolution that shall be brought before said association referring to the initiative and referendum to repeal the 2-mill tax passed by the Legislature of this state for the purpose of improving fills and building bridges within the corporate limits of the City of Portland. You will recall that I, with many others of this city, was among the most carnest advocates for the pusuage of this bill act, and mow that good results from the same have so greatly benefited the South Portland district by reason of the fills and bridges that have been completed. I firmly believe and will earnessly work to this end, that the citizens of South Portland are in duty bound to render all assistance and support possible to see that the people of the East Bide of the Williamette River shall enjoy and receive their due and jost abare of the benefits to be derived from the "gentle testil test." just abare of the benefits to be derived from the 2-mill tax.

At the Theaters

What the Press Agents Say.

"The Admirable Crichton." at Baker "The Admirable Crichton" at the Baker Thoater is serving as a vehicle to develop the talent of the company members for special character delineation. In the first act especially is this noticeable. The eccentric old Earl of Loam insists upon entertaining the servants of his household, and these parts are wonderfully well portrayed. Don't fail to see it, for it's a spiendid attraction.

"Hello, Bill" in Matinee Today.

This week the Allen Stock Company has a Western play which is the equal of any military dramas seen here this season. The uprising of the liptians, the battle of the Little Big Horn, the massacre of General Custer and other historical facts are found in the play. The Allen Stock Company has given no more popular play than "Northern Lights." Matinees Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, Seats are now selling for the remaining performances.

"Across the Potomae."

The public seems to stamp with approval "Across the Potomac," that thrilling drama of the Civil War, as it is produced this week at the Lyric. It is one of the few great plays dealing with the Civil War. Matinee every day; children's matinee Saturday. Seats may be reserved by telephone.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Harwas Concert Tonight.

Put that lodge meeting or that walk saids this evening and go to the Heilig Theater and attend the icetimonial concert, which will mark the approaching departure for listy of Miss Elizabeth Harwas, soprano. It will be a high-class concert. Miss Harwas will be assaired by Mrs. J. Whyte Evans. contraito; the Lakime Quartet; Waldemar Lind, violinist: F. T. Crowther, bartione; Miss Alica Dougherty, solo violin obligate, and Mrs. Warren E. Thomas and Miss Mattle Kelly, accompanies. The event is under the direction of Manager George L. Baker.

Empire to Have Stock Next Week. "The Black Hand" will be the first offer ing of the new stock company, which will \$ 11.973

The Hlack Hand' will be the first offering of the new atook company, which will open at the Empire Theater next week, and it is expected to indicate plainly to the audiences what they may expect in the way of attractions from this new organization. Only the best will be given, with attention to staging, costuming and other details. First performance Sunday matinee.

"Prodigal Son," at the Baker.

Hall Caine's great novel. "The Prodigal Son," was one of the minet widely read books of the times. Its dramatization is even superior to the original novel and the announcement that it will be produced by the Baker Theater Company next week is being received with unusual interest. It is now under preparation and promises to be a star theatrical event.

AT THE VAUDEVILE THEATERS

"Loop the Loop," at Grand.

Herbert's dogs "loop the loop" at the Grand-this week, These are the only dogs trained to perform this difficult feat. On the bill are such entertainers as Frank Cushman, the prince of story-tellers; Viola and Engle, comedy survivates, Jarvis and Tufor, in a condensed musical comedy: Tuttle and May, in a playiet, and several other features. Three days daily,

Pantages' Live Bill.

There is something happening every minute in the new bill at Pantages this week. An allocuted offering—the kind that gives you enough good humor to last a week—holds the boards. The Breadway Trio, New York comedy favorites, have first place. Then there are the Griffins, the Bartenos, Frances Seymour, Salmon and Chester and others—all new and all cond.

NO FLAW IN REHEARSAL

Performers for Society Circus Go Through Their Stunts.

The last general rehearsal of the society circus was held at the Armory last night. It indicated that the show is destined to lt indicated that the show is desined to be a complete success. There was hardly a slip or a break during the entire pre-liminary performance, to which no one was admitted except those holding performers' tickets. The most striking work was done by the equestrian division, com, posed of members of the Portland Hunt Club. Their acts in bareback riding, Roman standing and double quadrilles were excellent. Next to them came the ensem-ble dancers and the choruses. They have been well drilled and show careful train-

The circus, which will be held on April 18, 19 and 29, at the Armory, under the auspices of the Multnomah Club and the Third Infantry, O. N. G., will bring out In true circus style the largest aggrega-tion of talent. In addition to the other features there are side-shows and a mena-gerie of wild heasts. There is hot a seat the Armory from which the entire formance cannot be seen. The large de-mand for seats shows that the attend-ance will be record-breaking.

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RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS OF THREE STATES MEET

Boards of Oregon, Washington and Montana Take Steps to Form Branch of National Body.

Initial steps towards organizing an asso-ciation of the Railroad Commissioners of the Northwest States were taken at a meeting of the States of Oregon, Washington and Montana" held in this city last night. An executive committee, consist-ing of John C. Lawrence, of Washington; Clyde B. Altchison, of Oregon and Nathan Godfrey, of Montana, was appointed to invite the Railroad Commissions of North and South Dakota, Minnesota and Wis-consin to meet with the Commissions of the States of Oregon, Washington and Montana at Seattle in July, when it is proposed to perfect the organization of the Northwest division of the National Association of Railway Commissioners. Association of Railway Commissioners,
Last night's meeting was attended by
members of the Railroad Commissions of
the three states, as follows: John C.
Lawrence, Jesse S. Jones and O. O. Calderhead, secretary, of Washington; B. T.
Stanton, Nathan Godfrey and H. K. Howry, secretary, of Montana; Thos. K.
Campbell, Clyde B. Aitchison and George
O. Goodall, secretary, of Oregon.

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"The object of forming such an association," said Mr. Altchison, "is to simplify the work of these different goards. The Commissions of the states that will be asked to join the association all have about the same group of railroads to deal with. By effecting such an organization and keeping in touch with each other, there could be brought about uniformity of action on questions of railroad regulation. Again, the probability of arbitrary of action on questions of railroad regula-tion. Again, the probability of arbitrary distinction as between the different states would be removed. Investigations could be assimilated and much of the work that is now done in duplicate would be avoid-ed. Besides, through such an organiza-tion, any recommendations we might desire to make to the Interstate Commerce

Commission would be received with greater weight."

Measrs, Campbell, Aitchison and Goddall returned yesterday from Olympia, where they have been conferring with the members of the Washington Commission. Oswald West, the other member of the Com-mission, has been subpended to Washing-ton as a witness in the land-fraud trials,

mission will take up the investigation of the advance from \$3.10 to \$5 a thousand in freight charges on lumber from Oregon to San Francisco.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Guy W. Talbot, general manager of the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad is at Albany on business for his company. S. S. Ashbaugh, of Wichita, Kan., a leading capitalist and politician of the Sunflower State, was a Portland guest

Dr. L. F. Miliar, a prominent physician of Toronto, Canada, accompanied by Mrs. Miliar, arrived yesterday on a tour of the Coast. They are guests at the Portland.

Gus Rosenblatt and D. S. Stearns, of Portland and E. L. Smith, of Hood River, have gone East to attend the Jamestown Exposition. Mr. Smith goes to Jamestown as the official representa-tive of Oregon. S. Roscoe Beard, of the paymaster department, United States Army, has ar

rived in Portland to visit his brother, A. E. Beard, on his way to New York where he has been ordened to report after several years' service in the Philippines A. A. Schell formerly in charge of advertising for Ellers & Co., in this city and now located in Seattle, dropped into Portland yesterday on his way to Boston to attend the great Chickering convention in the interest of Eliers & Co. After the convention Mr. Schell will spend a week at the Jamestown Exposition and afterwards visit the principal Eastern

John Sainpolis, of the Baker Theater Company, returned yesterday from New York and Boston, where he has been on a business trip for the past month. Mr. Sainpolis has arranged for himself and his associates, George L. Baker, Milton Seaman and others, to run a Summer

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stock company at Lynn, Mass., opening
May 6. He also secured a number of important new plays for the Baker Company next season, among them being "Raffles," "In the Bishop's Carriage."

"Daughters of Men," "The Fascinating Brown, who weighs 200 pounds, ex-Mrs. Vandervelt." He also has plans for hibited remarkable nerve after falling Louis Fuerer, aged 64, for 30 years a resi E. B. Tongue, the Hillsboro capitalist of which Miss Lillian Lawrence, who is and horseman, is at the Portland. ing woman.

There is an air of delightful comfort about Rose City Park

CHICAGO, April 16 .- (Special.) - Oregot people at Chicago hotels:
From Portland-H. F. Corbett, Mrs. W. S. Gibson, at the Auditorium; F. R. Blochberger, at the Great Northern; Mrs. Joseph R. Bowden, Miss Helen Elriss, at the Palmer House; J. N. Atwood, at the Kaiserhoff.

NEW YORK, April 16 .- (Special.)-Northwestern people at New York hotels; From Portland-Mrs. R. F. Platt at the Prince George.
From Spokane-F. P. O'Neill, Miss M. O'Neill, at the Bartholdi.

LOSES FOOT UNDER CARS

D. D. Brown Makes Misstep in Attempting to Board Train,

In attempting to climb aboard the "blind baggage" of an O. R. & N. passenger train at Po'clock last night near East Second and East Flanders streets, D. D.

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Falls, Minn., where his mother and his

Louis Fuerer Dies in Scattle. SEATTLE, Wash., April 16.-(Special.)under the wheels, dragged himself to the shanty occupied by C. Peterson and A. Devlin, 50 feet from where he was hurt. They immediately notified the police and the patrol wagon took Brown to the hospital.

Brown had been working in a local of the police and the patrol wagon took Brown to the hospital. had been working in a local pital. Today the next word was The Dalles. He was on his way to Big death. Heart disease was responsible

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