

Mathing were extended to the various Mothers' Clubs and Improvement Clubs of the club to send each three delegates to the next meeting of the Kindergarten street, and the interment mah Cemetery. PAUPER DIES OF CONSUMPTION .-- G. V. Club which will take place Monday, Deditchell, 50 years of age, died of tuber-ulosis in the lodging-house at 251% Morrison street at 2 o'clock yesterday after

WEDNESDAY W. C. T. U. TEA .- At Conncon, and the body was found soon after. Coroner Finley took charge. The de-ceased was until Monday an inmate of the County Hospital, but came to the city and rented the room in which as died. He has no known relatives and tral W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon Mrs. Ella G. Hines, delegate from Oregon gave a very interesting report of the National Convention held recently in Nashville, Tenn. Most delightful hospi-tality was extended the 550 delegates from tality was extended the 600 delegates from all the states, by the people of Nashville. Welcome night the convention was re-seived by the Governor of the state as well as the Mayor of Nashville. Dem-onstrations of the work were given. The greatest evening of all was the last when over \$7000 was raised for the work. Great enthusiasm prevailed over the recent prohibition victories and the W. C. T. U. yell, "White Ribbon, Hurrah," was an interesting sketch of drs. L. M. N. Stevens, the National president. At the close of the programme refreshments

The report of Deputy Sheriff S. B.

Martin, of the Tax Department, shows

P. Scollard has convinced him that lim

burger cheese has another use to serve aside from being a staple article of diet at a beer garden. Mr. Scollard reports that from a trap balted with the cheese

of large smelling properties he succeeded in catching seven times as many rats as he did from a similar trap that had been

incident is considered quite important by the Assistant Health Officer, who is

inclined to recommend the limburger variety of cheese as the most effective bait for rat-catching.

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of this successful feature. Mrs. J. Al Only \$46.950 Delinquent Out of lyn presided over the fancy work section and Mrs. " H. Churchill over the house-keepers' stall where not only preserves

charge of the candy table.

street.

and pickles but also home-made pies and

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Today

close of the programme refreshments were served and a pleasant hour spent. Next week Mrs. Lola G. Baldwin will speak on the work of the Travelers' Ald Society. NO ORDER FROM BONAPARTE.--If Attor

ney-General Bonaparte has issued per emptory orders for United States Attorney Bristol to start the prosecution of the Bristol to start the prosecution of the Oregon land frauds, they must have been delayed in transmission, for no such or-ders have reached the United States At-torney's office.* Even If such orders should be received by Mr. Bristol, it is hardly possible that the trials would be taken up until January. In the first place it would take some weeks before a jury could be secured and in the securid jury could be secured, and in the second the trials cannot be resumed until Judge Hunt can return to Portland. At present Judge Hunt is holding court in Helena.

land.

unteer fire company soon to be organized. The city has agreed to supply the dom-pany with 1000 feet of hose which will be delivered some time during the month. The new hosehouse cost \$350 and the money was raised through the efforts of the Nolta Progressive Club. It is hoped to get the volunteer company organized by next week. Next Monday night the Nolta Progressive Club will hold a meetlarkey ing in the firehouse and elect officers. This club has been an effective agency in promoting general improvement in that neighborhood.

neighborhood. WANTED PARK POLICEMEN.—That police-mon assigned to duty in the City Park should wear gray uniforms and be under the upervision of the park superintendent way the request made of the Municipal Civil Service Commission at its meeting yesterday by A. D. Montieth, superin-tendent of the park. This request was made in a letter in which Suparintendent Montieth asked for a reclassification of the city employees so as to harmonize with his suggestion as to park policemen. He complained to the Commission that the policemen now doing duty at the park are incompetent to handle the large crowds either on Sundays or holidays. The letter was hild on the table. EXCEEDINGLY CHEAP RATES SOUTH.—

EXCEEDINGLY CHEAP RATES SOUTH .- The commodious passenger steamer Ha-The commonlous passenger steamer Ha-nalei sails direct Thursday evening for San Francisco. Cabin, 312: steerage, 38. Los Angeles, \$11.50: steerage, 315, berth and meals included. C. H. Thompson, agent, 128 Third street.

FUNERAL OF E. CLARK .- Funeral services for E. Clark, who died Tuesday, win be held today at the family home. He died at the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. E. Peterson, 33 Thirteenth His widow and his aged father

"FRANK'S PLACE" ROBBED .- The polic were notified yesterday morning of the robbery of "Frank's Place," a saloon at Sixteenth and Washington streets. Durthe night some one rifled the safe of

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SUTTABLE Xmas gifts just arrived from Japan. Parlor C, Fortland Hotel. *

CATHEDRAL MEN'S CLUB.—The campaign committee of the Cathedrai Men's Club, which was chosen at the meeting last Sunday night, has formulated its plan, and will report at a meeting of the club. and will report at a meeting of the club be held at 8 o'clock tonight at Holy Names Hall. At this time the commit-teemen hops to meet all the men of the parish. It is proposed to make the movement a general one throughout the state. OLD-TIME PRINTER DEAD. -James Burke, OLD-THE PRINTER DEAD.-James Burke, familiarly known among printers as "Jimmy," died at St. Vincent's Hospital Monday noon and his body is now at Eric-son's undertaking establishment. Funeral arrangements have not been made. The deceased was for many years engaged in the printing business here, being one of the oldest members of the craft in Port-land.

SELL CHRISTMAS GOODS .- The Ladies' Judgo Hunt is holding court in Helena, Mont, where he is trying to catch up with the work that he had to postpone when he came came to Portland the last time. PEOPLE BUILD FIREHOUSE. - Property-owners have completed a temporary fire house on Albina and Killingsworth ave-nues in which to house the appratus that the city has promised to furnish the vol-unteer fire company sorts the appratus that CHINESE TO HAVE TRIAL BY JURY.--Thirty Chinese arrested in a raid made by Detective-Sergeant Baty and Police Detectives Price and Coleman betterives Frice and Coleman recently are to have a trial by jury in the Munici-pal Court tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. They will be represented by Lawyers H. W. Hogue and Dan J. Ma-August.

A MEETING of the check and certificate A MERLING of the check and certificate depositors of the Title Guarantee & Trust Company will be held on today (Thurs-day), at 8 P. M., at Merrill's Hall. A full attendance is desired as it may be necessary to secure the signature of each one in order to best protect their inter-ests. S. J. Barber, president.

CRITERION HOME THANKS FRIENDS... The board of managers of the Florence Crittenton Refuge Home wishes to thank the many friends of the home for their kind donations for Thanksgiving. Like contributions were most acceptable and are deeply appreciated. are deeply appreciated, COMMENCING Saturday, December 7, 1... DUTCH SUPPER IS SERVED

the Vancouver, Woodlawn, Alberta, Rus-sell-Shaver and Broadway cars, will cross the river westerly over Burnside bridge and easterly over Steel bridge, until fur-ther notice, owing to repairs on Burnside bridge

bridge WALLIS NASH WILL SPEAK.-Wallis Nash will speak of the plans and pur-poses of the Christian Co-operative Fed-eration at the Unitarian Chapel, corner of Seventh and Yamhill streets, this even-ing at 8 o'clock. The public is invited. OREGON KERAMIC CLUB.-Sale of handpainted china Thursday afternoon, Friday and Saturday. 446 Washington street. *



All Ladies' Neckwear, All Ladies' Belts, 20 per cent off regular price. Other waists, values to \$4, \$1.50 each. Hewett, Bradley & Co., 344 Washington

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that notwithstanding the holidays the Tax Department has collected \$2937.11 more during the month just past than it did during the same time in 1906. Of \$46,950.93 in taxes which are yet unpaid, less than \$10,000 is on real estate, the balance being for personal property. The delinquent taxes for 1907 now stand at about .015 per cent of the entire roll for the year. As fast as delinquent taxes have been collected they have been turned over by the Sheriff to County Treasurer Lewis. The total gain in tax collections for the four months last past over the same period in 1906 amounts to \$9136.23, this amount being 50 per cent more than the total tax collections dur. ing November last year. The report is an indication of the growth of the city

and of the large increase in property values within the year: The detailed report follows: Tax roll for 1907.....\$2,839,462.24

9,312.48 3,123.69 1,171.27
 Total
 \$2,853,069,67

 Paid Treasurer
 \$2,720,291,27

 Rebate allowed
 72,970,42

 Etrors and double assessments.
 6,857,03

 Unpaid, Dec. 2, 1907
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We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends for their assist-ance and sympathy in the illness and bereavement of our mother. WALTER YERIAN. MRS. W. T. GOTCHER. Total \$136,174.76 Gain in November, 1907, over No-vember, 1906 \$2,987.11 Gain for four months 1907 over same period, 1906 \$9,136.23

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