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o'clock.

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ARGONAUT HOME FROM ALASKA-Abou D years ago A. B. Jones came to Ore-gon from Wiscorain and settled in Hood River Valley, just outside the city of that name. By industry in the next nine that name. By industry in the next nine years he accumulated property which he sold in 1838 for \$4000, and with the proceeds he went to Alaska and began mining in the vicinity of Fairhanks. Since then he has made and lost fortunes. When successful, he reinvested his means in nithing operations, only to play a losing game for a time. At length, after if years' absence, he has returned to Oregon without a fortune, but with funds enough to buy a moderately comortable home. On going to Houd River fortable home. On going to Hond River a few days since to see a few of his old friends he ascertained that the market value of his former holdings was more than \$100,000.

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OFFERS PROPERTY TO CITY.—I. A. Taylor, who recently offered the city a strip of ground north of the present City Jall building for \$30,000, has made further offers of a plot lowx100 feet at the north-east corner of Eleventh and Davis streets for \$35,500, and one 75x100 at the south-west corner of Fifth and Burnside streets for \$125,000. There he has made to the committee on health and police of the Council The site for the structure, however, has been selected, it being at Park and Everett streets. Objection by Councilman Cellars held up passage of the climan Cellars held up passage of the ordinance carrying the necessary appro-priation last Wednesday, but it will prob-ably be passed at the next session.

RETAINING WALL NEEDED.—A solid re-sining wall will have to be built along the north side of Lone Fir Cemetery, on East Stark street, where the street a being graded out for pavement. The cut is made close up to the cemetery. Graves in Lone Fir Cemetery were placed very close to the old Base Line road, with no thought that in time a cut road, with no thought that in time a col-would be made. The deep out on the north side of the cemetery extends for a distance of about 800 feet. A steam shovel is working its way through the high portion of East Stark street, be-East Twentieth and East Twenty-

LINEMAN GETS 2000 VOLTS.-Wynne Hur rington, a lineman, was severely burned yesterday afternoon by coming in contact with a live wire, while he was at work on a pole at Seventh and Vaughn streets, near the Union Stockyards. He streats, near the Union Stockyards. He is supposed to have received 2000 volts of electricity. Had it not been that he was strapped to the pole he would have fallen to the ground and probably met death or serious injury. As it is Hurrington soon recovered from the shock and will be at work again in a few days. Rarss Punds ron: Librars.—For the purpose of raising a fund with which to maintain the Montavilla Branch Librars.

purpose of raising a fund with which to maintain the Montavilla Branch Library for the ensuing year, residents of that section have planned an open-air festival for tonight and tomerrow night on the grounds at the corner of Base Line road and Hibbard street. The churches of Montavilla and a number of fraternal organizations will have refreshment booths on the ground. booths on the ground.

Connensrone to Be Lam.—The corner-etone of the Rodney-Avenue German Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Rodney avenue and Stanton street, will be laid on Saturday, July M, at 7:30 P. M., by Bishop C. W. Smith, of Portland, Addresses will be minde by Bishop Smith and Rev. Joseph Hepp, of Salem, the district superintendent of the Portland district, who will speak in German. All are invited.

AHAVAI SHOLOM SERVICES — Services will be held lonight at 5 o'clock, at Congregational Ahavai Sholom, Park and Clay streets. There will be music by the os held at 9:30 o'clock. Rabbi R. Abra-hamson will officiate.

PUNERAL OF MISS ANNA T. MACDONALD.

The funeral of Miss Anna T. MacDonald, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

D. C. MacDonald, was held Tuesday from St. Francis Church, East Eleventh and East Oak streets, Rev. P. P. Grace offering mass.

MEN.—As you pass along Washington street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, take a look in Robinson & Co's, clothing windows—there is something doing. Make

a point to look during Friday and TRIAL OF DR. BARR POSTFONED.—The trial of Dr. Gustav Buar, charged with pointing a revolver at C. W. Rickards, a chauffeur, was postponed in the Muni-cipal Court yesterday morning until Au-

Punt CRUSHED FAUITS.—Flavors for our fountain drinks are made from pure fruits—ne adulterations. Pearce's (Royal Bakery) Washington-street store.

PRIDAY AND SATURDAY is positively the last days of Ellott Bros. mammoth closing out sale of the Pullam shoe stock, 255 Morrison street.

DELICIOUS LUNCHIDOS, afternoon tea, all kinds of home cooked delicacles at Woman's Exchange, 156 Fifth street. \* P. P. Young, ladies' haberdasher, machinery the past week. Operations moved from Seventh and Wash, ats. to corbett bidg. Fifth and Morrison. . . . ployed. "LEFFERTS" pure gold seamless wedding rings, all sizes; engraving free; price, \$5 to \$12 272 Washington street.

F. P. Young, ladies' haberdasher, moved from 7th and Washington sts. to Corbett bldg. 5th and Morrison. ROSENTHAL SISTERS, ladles' hair dress-

es and manicurers, have removed to 30 th st. Elks bldg Wanter-Experienced bookkeeper and

cashier; state references. R 282, Ore-Dr. Edwin C. Holmes, specialist, ap-pendicitis, rheumatism, stomach, nerve troubles, 404 Buchanan bldg. M 8002. Wallace C. Shrases, dentist, has re-turned. Dekum building.

Honors for Charles B Menrick—Charles B, Merrick, secretary of the Portland Retail Grocers' Association, and his wife at their new home in Rose City Park received a surprise Wednerday night that they will not soon forget. After gathering to the number of over 75. Portland grocerymen and their families proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrick with a furniture van loaded to the guards and gave the secretary a substantial token of their appreciation of his services. A complete dining-room set of furniture, consisting of buffet, dining table and chairs, was on the van. The guests fitted up the library with a library table and an easy chair for "Pat" Merrick, which was suggestive of his inclination. After all the articles had been placed refreshments were served, when there followed short talks. Mr. Merrick was given credit for the entertainment of the National Retail Grocery Association which held its convention in Portland this Summer. Mr. Merrick has been secretary of the Portland Grocery Retail Association for Mrs. Martha T. Jenkins Cuts Throat in Sanitarium.

BUTCHER KNIFE IS USED

Inmate of Institution, While Washing Dishes, Grabs Cleaver and Before Others Can Reach Her Cuts Deep Gash.

Slashing her throat from ear, thereby half severing her head from her body. mate of the Crystal Springs Sanatorium, committed suicide at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the kitchen of that institution in a most indescribably shocking

its convention in Portland this Summer.
Mr. Merrick has been secretary of the
Portland Grocery Retail Association for
Suspect Not Right Man. - Sheriff
Stevens reports the man named Hamilton, arrested by City Marshal Ficklin, of
Endicott, Wash., on suspicion, is not the
man who assaulted the IT-year-old girl
near Sylvan, June 3t. Although Hamilton answered the description sent out by
Sheriff Stevens, he is said to have been
able to establish an alibi conclusively
proving his innocence. He left Portland
for Seattle July 22, two days before the
assault, going from there to Vancouver,
B. C., where he remained visiting his
sister for ten days. Letters exhibited
by Ficklin's friends here show them to Witnesses of the tragedy were Edna withcomes of the tragedy were lands. Robertson and Grace Persfield, nurses employed in the sanatorium, and Mrs. Mary Brown, a convalencent patient. The deed was committed in their presence, and with such haste they were left powerless. to do anything to prevent it. They were horrified at the bloody spectacle and stood screaming until others rushed to behold the grewsome scens. The victim died immediately and Deputy

sister for ten days. Letter show them to have been mailed in Vancouver. B. C., upon his arrival there, June 23. Sheriff Stevens has offered 100 reward for information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the girl's assailant.

REPAIRS NEEDED ON McINTRE'S HILL.— The recent rains caused some damage to the Mount Hood road, but the bad places

It to 24 inches. There is a great travel out to the Toll Gate and some of the members of the Automobile Club say that they will take up the matter of having the hill permanently repaired.

BROTHER LEO WINS HONORS.—Brother Leo has just won the leading prize offered by the Extension Magazine, offi-cial paper of the Catholic Extension So-ciety on a short stars contact. There

clety, in a short story contest. There were a great many competitors in the contest. Brother Leo was one of the principal lecturers at the recent Catholic educational institution. He is in Portland and expects to remain to attend the

retreat of the Christian Brothers to be held next week at the Christian Brothers' College. He is an extensive contributor to the press under the name Will Scarlet.

FRED A. ROSENKRANZ BETTER-Fred A. Rosenkranz, vice-president of the Rober Machinery Company, who lives at 205 East Twenty-first street North, the

victim of an automobile accident on Sunday night, on the Deep Creek Canyon road near Boring, who was con-veyed to Good Samaritan Hospital after

sustaining a broken leg and other sever-

injuries, is improving. His condition last night was said to be more favorable than his surgeons had expected. He is being attended by Drs. A. S. and Clarence Nichols, Dr. George Wilson and Dr. H.

PRESIDENT GALLAGHER RETURNS.-Rev

Joseph Gallagher president of the Columbia University, has returned from Notre Dame, Ind., where he went early in July to attend the general chapter of the congregation of the Holy Cross. Dr. Nieuwland, C. S. C., professor of blology

at Notre Dame University, accompanied President Gallagher to Portland. Dr. Nieuwland is editor of the "Midland Nat-uralist" and expects to gather informa-

Ion while on this coast.

DR. White Improving.—Dr. Calvin S. White, a well-known Portland physician, who lives at 281 East Eleventh street North, and who is ill in St. Vincent's Hospital, will recover. He is being attended by Dr. Andrew C. Smith and reports last night were that Dr. White was considerably improved. He was taken

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ill five weeks ago and removed from his home to the hospital. At one time his case was regarded as serious.

ROBINSON SUBMITS REPORT. - County

School Superintendent Robinson has sub-mitted his annual report to State Super-intendent Ackerman. It shows that there

are 38,468 children of school age, 19.7

and tomerrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, and tomerrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rabbi Wise will officiate. Mrs. Elfreda Reinstein and Miss Elizabeth Kinsella will sing the dust, "I Walted for the Lord" (Mendelssohn), accompunied by Miss Lenora Fisher on the organ.

NEW CHOIR ORGANIZED.—The personnel of the choir of Westminster Presbyterian

of the choir of westminser Pressy certain Church is announced for 1969-16 as follows: Miss Leah Slusser, soprano; Miss Florence Poster, contraito; W. A. Brwin, tenor; F. L. Hickle, base, and R. J. Hutchinson, organist and director.

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ing to start their new camp on Black Creek. They have been installing the

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tion while on this coast.

C. Jefferds.

Coroner Dunning was summoned. The re-mains were removed to the undertaking establishment of Dunning, McEntee & Gil-

the Mount Hood road, but the bad places began drying up yesterday. McIntyre's Hill, a short distance beyond the station which bears that name, was rendered impassable by the muß that poured down on the grade. It was the only place between Portland and the Toll Gate where an automobile could not get through during the recent storm. There is a short stretch at this hill that could be planked and kept free from mud that covers the hard-surface to the depth of 13 to 24 inches. There is a great travel The woman's act is one of the most horrible in the annals of the Coroner's office, and was done at a time and in a manner utterly to defeat interference. No intimation of it had been given. The woman had been in the institution for woman had been in the institution for two and a half years and had recently been pronounced cured. Fearing to face the outside world, where she would have the stigma follow her of having been in an institution for the insane, she request-ed the doctors conducting it to find her employment. They gave her work as a helper in the kitchen, and she had been working in that capacity for a number of weeks. weeks.

Accompanied by Mrs. Brown and the two nurses, she was engaged in washing the dishes after the noon meal, when overcome by the irresistible impulse to end her life. The other women were but a few feet from her at the time. Without a word she grabbed the butcherknife and victously slashed its keen edge over her throat. The stroke severed both Juguiar veins and the windpipe, and the blood spurted in great gushes over the surround-ings. She fell to the floor in a pool of blood and died almost before the others reached her. The witnesses were almost thrown into hysterics by the unnerving

Little is known about the antecedents of the suicide by the hospital authorities. She was committed to the institution by the United States Government authorities in Alaska nearly three years ago. She was a widow 50 years old, but whether she has relatives or friends living, the records here do not show. It is believed her inability to find a home outside the institution so preyed upon her mind that she determined upon her shocking and. The remains are being held to await instructions from the Government author

#### FLYNN IS NOW EXONERATED

Boss of Butte Local Is Cleared of Charges by Convention.

DENVER. July 28.—By a margin of four votes. P. W. Flynn, of Butte Local Number 1, won his fight for acquittal on charges of "Conduct unbecoming a member of the Western Federation of

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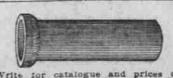
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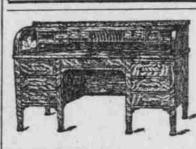
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