

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

OREGONIAN TELEPHONES. Pacific States. Home... AMUSEMENTS. DRPHETUM THEATER (Morrison, between... GRAND THEATER (Park and Washington)... ENDEAVORERS TO GIVE LECTURES... CARLOAD OF PIANOS WRECKED... NATIONAL HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION... IMPROVE GOING STREET... SELLWOOD SEWER ASSESSMENTS... SUNNYSIDE CHURCH TO CELEBRATE... DR. HINSON REACHES CITY... CLUBS UNITE ON STREET... UP-TOWN LOT HIGH PRICED... WILD PIGEON MINERAL WATER... LEFFERTS' diamond engagement rings... THE HAIR STORE, formerly in the Mar... MERCHANTS' CAFE... DR. M. M. BETTMAN, dentist, moved to... WILLAMETTE PAPER COMPANY has div... ELECTRIC VACUUM CARPET CLEANERS... DR. ALAN WELSH SMITH moved to Electric bldg... DR. THORNTON moved—Electric bldg...

WIFE FOUND WITH ANOTHER MAN.—Ernest Howe, an electrician living at the Oakley rooming-house, Eleventh and Morrison streets, and Mrs. Erma Traxler, wife of Robert Traxler, an employee of the Portland Gas Company, were arrested yesterday morning by Deputy Constable Kiernan in Howe's room and were later arraigned before Justice Olson upon a statutory charge. A hearing of the case was set for next Friday. The woman broke down when brought into court and wept piteously. The charges brought against the couple are vehemently denied.

AGED RESIDENT DIES.—Ephraim H. James, aged 85 years, died at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. William Robnett, 49 San Rafael street, March 3. He had made his home in Portland for the past seven years. Watsburg had been his home for ten years before coming to Portland. He is survived by the following children: J. H. James, of Richmond, Wash. C. James, of Vainburg, Wash.; Mrs. M. Dodd, of Lewiston, Idaho; Mrs. Ida Harbison, of Arkansas. The body will be taken to Watsburg today for burial.

MOUNT TABOR FLORIST DIES.—Frederick G. Brodie, a well-known resident of Mount Tabor and florist, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter, who was 49 years old and had lived at Mount Tabor for the past 35 years. He was a son of Fred Brodie, a resident of Oak Grove. He is survived by his widow and four sons. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow from the German Methodist Church, Fifteenth street, at 10:30 A. M., and the interment will be made in Multnomah cemetery.

DEATH IS SUDDEN.—Andrew M. Bustard, living at 124 East Eleventh street, Sellwood, died suddenly at his home shortly after 10 o'clock Thursday night. He was one sick in the afternoon of hemorrhages of the brain, while reading an evening paper. A physician was called, but Mr. Bustard was beyond all human help. His wife is absent at Tacoma. He had been employed at the Sellwood barns, and had lived in Portland two years. He is survived by his widow and five children.

GRANGE MEETS TODAY.—Evening Star Grange No. 27 will hold an all-day session today at its hall on the Section Line road. The third and fourth degrees will be given. Masters and stewards of the Association of Multnomah County will meet with this Grange today, preparatory to the meeting of Pomona Grange, which meets at Lents, Wednesday, March 16.

CHURCH TO HAVE GYMNASIUM.—From the church of the old pumping station on the corner of Lents, Wednesday, March 16, and Milwaukee streets, a gymnasium building will be erected for the use of the young people of Sacred Heart parish on Milwaukee street. The old building is now being torn down preparatory for removal to the church property.

MAKES QUICK SALE.—O. L. Farris, of the Columbia Trust Company, who purchased a 267.7-acre tract south of the country club from the Smith heirs for \$1500 an acre two weeks ago has sold the land to the Associated Development Company for \$1000 an acre. The tract will be platted as Lawrence Addition.

SAN DIEGO PREACHER HERE.—Rev. W. B. Hinson, of San Diego, Cal., arrived in Portland yesterday afternoon, and was met at the depot by a number of the leading members of the Baptist congregation. Mr. Hinson will occupy the pulpit of the White Temple tomorrow, both morning and evening services.

PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION MEETS.—The Principals' Association will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in the Lincoln High School. Professor F. Robinson, County School Superintendent, will deliver the main address followed by L. F. Wiley, a round-table discussion will be held.

PRESIDENT CAMPBELL TO SPEAK.—P. L. Campbell, president of the State University, will deliver an address tonight on the "Economic Value of an Education" in the Etacada Methodist Church. The lecture is to be given in the interests of the Etacada schools.

FOR SALE.—200-horsepower motor generator set, belted units, complete with circuit breakers and panels. Alternating and direct current machines. Ideal drive for industrial plant. Complete information furnished at room 301 Oregonian building.

ENGINE-HOUSE CONTRACT LET.—Contract for the erection of the North Albina engine-house, on the Willamette colliery and Patton avenue, has been let to the New Portland Engineering Company for \$18,000. It will be of brick construction.

SIRLOIN BUREAU.—Only 125 per cent at all Smith Market. Lots of other cheap meats, too. Read Smith's adv. back page.

AVIATION MEET.—The mud has been scraped from Sandy road, and it is in splendid condition for automobiles.

POWERS & ESTES, prescription specialists, now in their new store, Oregonian bldg.

PLANS MADE READY Health Board Soon to Call for Bids on Crematory.

EAST SIDE MAKES DEMAND Two Incinerators Suggested in Place of One \$100,000 Structure on West Side—Walter H. Evans Gives East Side Argument.

Plans and specifications for construction of a garbage crematory are now being prepared for submission to the City Board of Health, and it is announced that a meeting will soon be called for selecting the place, deciding on the manner of advertising for bids and the time to be allowed for local representatives of Eastern concerns to send the plans to their home companies for estimates and bids.

East Side residents of Portland will probably appear before the Board in support of their request that the \$100,000 appropriation for the incinerator plant be divided by the erection of two crematories on either side of the Willamette, and each suitable to the needs of the portion of the city it is destined to serve.

Speaking of the matter yesterday, Walter H. Evans, Assistant United States Attorney for Oregon, said: "There are a good many taxpayers in the City of Portland that question the wisdom of expending \$100,000 for a garbage crematory to be situated at the site of the present plant. It has been stated by numerous persons that the greatest item of expense in the disposal of garbage is the hauling to the plant, and for that reason it has always been my contention that a crematory should be located as near to the center of production as is possible."

"In 1907, I went over the city in company with the then city health officer and an expert sanitary engineer, having in view the selection of a suitable location. The opinion of this expert was that a location in the neighborhood of the mouth of Sullivan's Gulch was the most convenient one as could be found. The opposition to such a location is a matter of history. The result was that no crematory was purchased, but this vexed question of the building of a crematory was handed down to the present administration. Mayor Simon and the present Board of Health have met the issue fairly and are now in a splendid way to build a crematory for Portland at an early date."

Cost Less, It Is Argued.

"The question of the expenditure of such a large sum of money for the erection of a single plant is one wherein authorities may differ and I have consistently contended that the City of Portland ought to build a crematory on the West Side of a smaller capacity than the one for which bids were recently invited, and that the Board of Health ought to give us taxpayers who live on the East Side of the river a plant of our own, not that any of us consider it such a desirable thing to have in our neighborhood, but because it will save the city money. It seems very unjust to compel people who reside in Woodlawn, Piedmont, Irvington, Mount Tabor, Sellwood and other East Side suburbs to pay the expense of hauling kitchen refuse to Guild's Lake, but our arguments usually have been met with the explanation that it is the expectation of the present Board of Health to establish a uniform system of collection, possibly by means of streetcars."

"It is hard, however, to understand why it will be any more desirable to have a collection dump in one's neighborhood than to have a modern, sanitary crematory there. If a collection shall be attempted by means of the streetcars, it will necessitate some sort of a central point to which garbage collectors may carry the garbage in order to deliver it into receptacles for delivery by streetcars, and no matter how carefully such a place may be looked after it is bound to be as objectionable as a crematory itself. Hence to build a crematory for the East Side and later on build another crematory wherever the production of garbage may require it."

Garbage Collections Decrease.

"It has been observed, too, that the production of garbage in the City of Portland has been greatly overestimated; if we can place any reliance on the reports of the superintendents who have had charge of the destruction of the city's refuse. It is shown by the report of the garbage superintendent for 1907 that there was hauled to the plant on an average for the year of 34 tons of garbage a day, while in 1908 the average of that hauled to the crematory and burned and dumped amounted to only 20 tons a day, and strange as it may seem, for the year ending December 31, 1909, the average amount incinerated and dumped was 20 1/2 tons a day, counting about that to the year. It thus appears that the total amount of garbage delivered to the plant at Guild's Lake has been decreasing in slight proportions. How then can it be contended that the city is in need of a 150-ton plant at Guild's Lake?"

"I am in favor of building a crematory on the west side of the river of 50 ton capacity, one on the East Side with a slightly smaller capacity and later, as the needs require, the building of other crematories in other locations such as will be the most economical."

CONNECTICUT FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

Amount of capital paid up \$ 1,000,000.00

Income.	
Premiums received during the year in cash	\$ 3,825,505.91
Interest on investments received during the year	257,998.04
Income from other sources received during the year	632.90
Total income	\$ 4,084,136.85
Disbursements.	
Losses paid during the year	\$ 1,846,741.41
Dividends paid during the year	143,600.90
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	1,078,704.36
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	113,289.23
Amortization of other expenditures	306,238.28
Total disbursements	\$ 3,488,574.18
Value of real estate owned	\$ 253,300.09
Value of stocks and bonds owned	4,949,546.00
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	944,750.00
Total assets and cash in hand at close of year	\$ 6,252,326.06
Less special deposits in state (if any there be)	\$ 131,000.00
Total assets admitted in state	\$ 6,121,326.06
Gross claims for losses unpaid	\$ 279,904.25
Amount of unexpired premiums on all outstanding policies	3,854,754.74
Due for commission and brokerage	none
All other liabilities	51,196.47
Less amount secured by special deposits	125,656.30
Total liabilities admitted in Oregon	\$ 4,040,109.14
Total income in force December 31, 1909	\$ 828,982,336.00
Total business in Oregon for the year	\$ 1,765,567.00
Gross premiums received during the year	41,196.46
Premiums returned during the year	8,067.07
Losses incurred during the year	16,733.15
Total amount of business transacting in Oregon December 31, 1909	\$ 2,470,876.00

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Fred Frohn, D. D. S. 407 Gerlinger Bldg., Opposite City on Last Sunday, by the capsize of the gasoline launch Grace, was recovered this morning, near where the body of his companion, Charles Hooper, was found last evening. Fisher was 25 years old. He was a son of Mr.

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### DR. HINSON REACHES CITY

San Diego Man Comes to Preach in White Temple Two Weeks.

Dr. Walter B. Hinson, a preacher from San Diego, Cal., arrived in Portland late yesterday afternoon and will fill the pulpit at the White Temple for three weeks. It is understood it is the intention to extend a call to Dr. Hinson to come to the White Temple pulpit permanently, but last night, after his arrival, he gave no intimation that he would accept such an offer if it should be made him.

Dr. Hinson passed through Portland on a train one time, and that is all he has seen of the city. The walk that he took after his arrival yesterday through some of the more important streets brought forth many words of appreciation and surprise. His company, it is believed, will be spent by Dr. Hinson in seeing the sights about Portland. He will first visit Portland Heights and Council Crest. Dr. Hinson is a native of London, and has been pastor of the First Baptist Church in San Diego for ten years.

### CLUBS UNITE ON STREET

Thirty-ninth to Be Made Longest on East Side.

East Thirty-ninth street is to be made the leading thoroughfare on the East Side, according to the plans of the push clubs. If the street selected by the Kenilworth Improvement Association and endorsed by the Waverly-Richmond and the Woodstock clubs to extend south to the Reed Institute site. It is extended along the east side of the institute. East Thirty-ninth street already passes through Sunnyside and Laurelhurst into the Rose City Park district, and the part in Sunnyside is being improved with hard-surface pavement.

By the extension south it will become the longest street on the East Side, not excepting Union avenue, and will pass through all the new additions. Little remains to be done to have the street opened, as most of it has been dedicated.

East Twenty-eighth street has been selected to extend to the Reed Institute. It will pass on the west side of the site.

### Carl Fisher's Body Recovered.

ASTORIA, Or., March 4.—(Special.)—The body of Carl Fisher, one of the men who was drowned in the Columbia River, opposite this city on last Sunday, by the capsize of the gasoline launch Grace, was recovered this morning, near where the body of his companion, Charles Hooper, was found last evening. Fisher was 25 years old. He was a son of Mr.