CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Amusements Tonight.

CORDRAY'S THEATER (Washington st.)

"Uncle Tom's Cabin."

BUBINESS AND BASEBALL.—There is every likelihood that a match game of baseball between the traveling passenger agents and the commercial traveling nen will soon come off. The latter are certain that they can defeat the former, and the former are just as certain that they can defeat the former, and the former are just as certain that they cannot. The railroad men, actuated by a desire to benefit Portikurd and show their loyalty, have agreed to meet the commercial travelers under certain bonditions. If the traveling men will agree to hold the annual meeting of the Commercial Travelers' Association in Portland this Summer, the railroad men will agree to hold the annual meeting of the Commercial Travelers' Association in Portland this Summer, the railroad men will stable cross hat with Nous Curr's Capacity Increases —The railroad men will stable cross hat with Nous Curr's Capacity Increases.—The Association in Portland this Summer, the ward.

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Colonel Fire to Go Nonth-Friends of Colonel Fire, late of the First Washington Volunteers, will be interested to know that he and his father are preparing to go to Cape Nome among the first to go north this Spring. He sails on the Second Oregon Volunteers, as well as numerous other persons residing in Portland, Colonel Fire is well remembered. In Manila he was always and consistently a friend to the Oregon boxs of course without the matter of selecting fixtures when Colonel Fife, late of the First Washington Volunteers, will be interested to know that he and his father are preparing to go to Cape Nome among the first to go north this Spring. He sails on the Senator May 18. Among the members of the Second Oregon Volunteers, as well as numerous other persons residing in Portland, Colonel Fife is well remembered. In Manila he was always and consistently a friend to the Oregon boys, of course, without impeaching his fidelity to the men of his own command. He was among the very first on every occasion to compliment the Oregon men for doing faithful and excellent work, and when the regiment was ordered to embark for home, Colonel Fife's letter of congratulations and regret was one of the most friendry episties received by General Summera.

MULTNOMAH REGISTRATION.—Yesterday was a record-breaking day at the registration office, 35 being added to the list, making a total for Multnomah County of 15,326.

False Alarm.—Several involuntary taps of the Many 34, she will be fully loaded. She will make four round trips during the season. The present outlook is excellent for a full passenger let for each trip. The Nome City's dates of salling from Portland are May 34, July 1, August 1, who can be found from Portland are May 34, July 1, August 1, who can be found from Portland are May 34, July 1, August 1, who can be found from Portland are May 34, July 1, August 1, who can be found from Portland are May 34, July 1, August 1, who can full make four round trips during the season. The present outlook is excellent for a full passenger let four round trips during the season. The present outlook is excellent for a full passenger let for each trip. The Nome City's dates of salling from Portland are May 34, July 1, August 1, who can full are found from Portland are May 34, July 1, August 1, who may 34, July 1, August 1, who may 34, she will make four round trips during the season. The present outlook is excellent for a full passenger let four found from Fill the four found from Portland are May 34

MULTNOMAH REGISTRATION.—Vesterday was a record-breaking day at the registration office, 215 being added to the list, making a total for Multnomah County of 15,236. The average number registered per day during the week was about 340. Though the total last night was about 37 per cent of the vore for Governor in 1888, it is still 2000 less than the Presidential vote of 1876, and probably 4000 less than the actual number of male adults entitled to vote at er of male adults entitled to vote at this time. The registration officers are of the opinion that this week's work will be the heaviest since the office opened, and expect at least 300 a day from tomorrow until the books close, May 15.

If also insuren best results in all cooking. Your meats are done a little better than is possible with any other stove. Delicacles may be had in Summer that it is a burden even to think of making on an ordinary cook stove. A gas range properly used is a positive economy. Miss Suzy Tracy, the cooking teacher, who is with us this season, will instruct each purchaser of a gas range in its proper use. We will show a new line of gas ranges this week. Portland Gas Co., I'll Fifth street, opposite Postoffice.

I wish to announce my return to the largest retail stores in the city was held at the Auditorium Hall, last evening, and they formed themselves into a permanent organization, to be known as the Six O'Clock Closing Association. G. M. Hyland was chosen president and George well with the secretary. The main object is to get all large stores to close every evening in the week, barring Christmas holidays, at 6 P. M.

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Louis, Mo., is now with us. Any work
intrusted to him is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction by the house. Mr. Seekler
is known to our musical people, and his
years of experience as a tuner, repairer
and regulator of planes insures the people
of strictly first-class work, and we ask the
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Phones.

First and Sectors.

TURSDAY, MAY 8.—Entertainment and dance of Fidelity Lodge, No. 4, A. O. U. W. Burkhard Hall. Fine programme. 3 cents.

C. C. Smith is closing.

Phones.

Prinst Hood-River Brenzius.—The first be sold by June 1. Store, 125 First street. Hood River strawberries of the senson were received yesterday, a consignment coming in from the Davidson Fruit Comcoming in from the Davidson Fruit Com-pany and being immediately disposed of at 50 cents a pound wholesale. The herries were picked Friday night, and were in prime condition on their arrival. The ship-per wrote that this was the earliest that his berries had been in condition for ship-ment since the Spring of ING.

FILED HIS PETITION.—Fred T. Merrii, the woll-known blockle dealer of Restland. die paper, new tints, at Gill's, 133 Third street, Portland Or.

the well-known bicycle dealer of Portland, yesterday filed his position for independent candidacy for the office of Councilman in the Third Ward. Mr. Merrill announced his intention of running for this office some time ago. He isunches into an inde-pendent fight with confidence.

WOMAN'S CLUB,-The next programme for the Woman's Club is in charge of Mrs. Rosa Hoyt, leader of the department of ancient and modern pottery. This depart-ment will make an exhibition of pottery next Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Hoyt will give explanations. Hirsch-Selling

TURNERS' RAILROAD EXCURSION! TURNERS' RAILBOAD EXCURSION SILVERTON, OR., SILVERTON, OR., SUNDAY, MAY 20. STOP-OVER AT MOUNT ANGEL.

ROUND THIP, \$1 00. THE Giant Powder Company, Consolidated, manufacturers of Judson's im-proved and Glant Powders, formerly rep-resented in this field by James Laidlaw & Co., has moved its offices to 120 First street, corner Stark. A. Newlands, agent.\* ICB CREAM FOR THOUSANDS.—The Sunset Creamery, First and Jefferson, is the proper place in Portland to buy your ice cream

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you want a successful Sunday dinner

to P. O. box si will bring you a handsome Ko-Nut cook book. Ko-Nut is the latest lard substitute; and purer, cheaper and more economical. For sale at all grocers.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.—There will be a service at the Seamen's Institute this ing, commencing at 7:15. Dr. Hay, who been to the coast for a few days to perate his health, will preach.

HOMBOPATHIC AID ASSOCIATION.—A spe-dal meeting of the Women's Homeopathic Ald Association, will be held Monday, at 2 P. M., room 512 Chamber of Commerce. A full attendance is desired.

Do Not delay buying your refrigerator.
A full assortment of our well-known brands now on hand. We invite your inspection. M. Seller & Co., Front, First and Burmsde streets.

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Beach will not be opened until May 28.
We prepay freight charges on groceries to
any point on both beaches. Strauhal Bros.,
see Morrison.

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call on Frank Holmb & Co., 345 Washington street. Phone,

the memorial committee was held yester-day, but will be held today at \$20 P. M., at G. A. R. hall, First and Taylor streets. ELEGANT floral designs very reasonable, ansies, verbenan astern, cosmos stalks and other plants at 10 cents per dozen. Surkhardt Bros., Twenty-third and Gilsan. Leterary Instruction.—Mrs. L. Alt-man. 405 Stark street; individual and class natruction in astronomy. German and

WHERE TO DINE.

NOME CITY'S CAPACITY INCREASED.-The

FALSE ALARM—Several involuntary taps of the big fire bell, accompanied by the toot of the fire whistles at the Burnside-street bridge and at Albina startled Port-

land people yesterday afternoon, and they paused to count the succeeding strokes, but none were sounded. The secret of the false alarms was that the City Electrician was fixing several burned-out fuse wires on the East Side and in Albina. These wires were destroyed during the thunder storm Friday evening.

Eastly Compton association.

some time but no serious result had been anticipated by his friends.

Ask Your Friends.—Let every purchaser of a bronse button sold for the Soldiers' Monument fund ask his friends if they have bought one also; Excents.

A Programsive Man.—For Councilman of the Third Ward, no man could do more for the people or the city at large than Fred T. Merrill.

STROUGE'S RESTAURANT.—Most reliable; everything first-class; white labor only. 229 Washington, between First and Sec-

Democratic nomination for City Engineer and is in the race to stay.

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THE conductors give their ninth annual excursion on May 27 to The Dalles. Round

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Chicken dinner, complete, Ec. Strouse's Cafe, 229 Washington, between First and Second. White labor only. Opened today, the Bon-Ton dining par-lors, new and elogant. Everything first class, 406 Alder street.

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ARE U HUNGRY?

If so, U need a meal U can finish up with a dish of strawberries, with cream, for 16c, or shortcake with cream for 16c, at the Creamerie, 271 Washington street.

Second Oregon's War Album for Miss Helen Gould.

Helen Gould.

Elmer E. Kimberlin, Quartermaster-Sergeant of Company E. Third Oregon, has in contemplation a valuable Souvenir War Album of the brave Oregon boys. His labor of iove is a mark of appreciation of Miss Gould's services during the war with crue! Spain. The album will be four by six feet, handsomely bound, and containing about 3000 photographs of the volunieer heroes of Oregon.

He kindly requests those having made pictures of the Second Oregon to address him, "General Delivery." He will return postage, and pay for your pictures. All kodak work containing views of the Second Oregon developed free by calling on Photographer James Brown, 24th Alder street, between Third and Fourth, over butter store. Mr. Kimberlin will exchange Second Oregon pictures with the lady whom he met last Sunday on the corner of Third and Clay streets. She can have her kodak views developed free, by calling on above photographer.

Chance to Get a Very Costly Piano for Little Money.

We have here now a very fine Chickering upright piano, in fancy mottled walnut case, used three years. It is perfect in every detail of tone, touch and finish, and cannot be told from new. It has been left here to be sold for party who is going abroad, and as he has no further use for the instrument, it can now be obtained at a substantial discount from regular prices. Here's a splendid opportunity. Need not necessarily be all cash. Come in and see it tomorrow at Ellers Plano House, 107 First street.

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Up to the present time, Egypt has only been engaged in exporting its raw cotton, but it seems now that trials will be made in the land of the Nile to manufacture cotton goods from Egyptian cotton.

Mrs. E. M. Edwards has removed her drossmaking parlors to 153 Tenth street. OSCAR H. BELLINGER has accepted the

Dr. Swain, dentist, 713 Dekum building.

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FAMOUS CLOTHING

## Store news from Steinbach's

It's hard to particularize, in this limited space, where there's such an immense aggregation of choicest men's and boys' wearables to talk about. We mention today a few noteworthy items selected at random from each of the four departments.

## Suits for men



Sack suits, made of smooth finished gray herringbone striped wool cheviot, Italian

14-ounce blue serge sack suits, of tried and tested color, gunranteed to stay in proper shape

Fancy checked worsted cassimere, sack suit, durable serge lining . Fine, soft-finish Oxford gray,

single - breasted sack suits,

Light brown mixed tweed, with fine vertical stripe three-button sack style, hand-padded lapels, hand-

## Boys' wear

worked button holes ...



cheviot, braid-trimmed, vestee 

Light checked cheviot vestee suits, with double-breasted vest and brown shield .....

Light checked cheviot sailor suits, red trimmings, sizes 3 to 10 years .....\$4 Blue serge sailor suits, black braid

trimmings, embroidered shield .... \$5 Boys' double-breasted school suits, gray checked wool cheviots, sizes 8 

Boys' school suits of blue serge, two\_piece, double-

## Men's neckwear



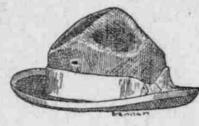
Looking over the beautiful groupings of rich-hued neck. wear we show for men, you'll readily admit that no matter how fastidious or how be, we can supply his wants. There are Squares, Im-

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