Firemen's Fund Makes a Remarkable Showing.

STARTS WITH A SURPLUS

Rehabilitation Is Effected Which Not Only Meets Heavy Drain in San Francisco Disaster, but Provides Ample Funds.

Despite the heavy losses which came to it by reason of the San Francisco disaster last Spring, the old Firemen's Fund Inlast Spring, the old Firemen's Fund In-surance Company of San Francisco will be able to begin business all over the United States by the last of the present month. Licenses and supplies will be in the hands of its agents by March 3. When that time comes, the company will have effected a general reinsurance guarantes contracts for all outstanding Habilities of the Firemen's Fund Insur-ance Corporation under policies already ance Corporation under policies already issued or that may hereafter be issued. Despite the tremendous losses which be-fell it last April, the company is now able to make the following strong financial showing:

......35,772,374.28 men's Fund Insurance Corporation was immediately organized and under a guarantee contract assumed all liabilities on policies not involved in the San Francisco disaster, thus restoring confidence

among its patrons.
At no time since the San Francisco disaster, have its agents or policy holders been left unprotected.
An assessment of \$300 a share on the stock of the company was made, of which \$2,000,000 has already been paid in providing the new capital of \$1,000,000 and a good strong net surplus for the old com-

All losses that have occurred since the San Francisco fire have been paid promptly and in cash and of the \$11,200,000 losses incurred in the San Francisco conflagration, \$10,500,000 has already been paid and discharged. This is said to be the largest amount of loss ever sustained by

RETURN ESCAPED CONVICT

any fire insurance company in the history of underwriting.

Oregon Officers Deliver Charles Winters to Kansas Authorities.

Charles Winters, alias James Seymore, an escaped convict from the penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, was taken back yesterday in custody of M. W. McClaughry, record clerk in the above in-Wilson was arrested in January, when

a number of suspicious characters were apprehended, some of whom were after-wards connected with the St. Johns and

against Winters in the Police Court and he was given a sentence of 90 days at Kelly's Butte. in looking over a collection of faces

In looking over a collection of faces in a regues' gallery publication which from time to time is received by Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriff Archie Graham identified Winters as a convict who escaped from the Kansas penitentiary on November 7, 1861. He immediately took Winters to the County Jail and wired the Kansas authorities. McClaughry arrived in Portland Friday and identified Winters, after which he had a consultation with Deputy United States Attorney Cole, who decided that as Winters is a Government presumer having been sent to the Kansas the usual state requisition papers would not be necessary.

PLAN A MONSTER REUNION

United Confederate Veterans Will Gather at Jamestown.

The annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held this year in Richmond, Va., from May 38 to June 3, inclusive, and it is the desire of the committee in charge to make this reunion one of the grand-est ever held and to have all the exconfiderates in the United States at-tend, but it is believed that many will be unable to do so because of the great expense. The general committee de-sives to assist those who would ether-wise feel unable to attend, and to that end arrangements will be made to take dare of them after their arrival in

The authorities of the Jamestown Exposition will set aside a day during

Exposition will set aside a day during the reunion as ex-Confederate day.

Colonel Lewis C. Garrigus is the emmander of the Portland branch of the organization and has expressed a desire to have all the ex-Confederate soldlers in the city and in the state communicate with him at 402 Commercial building. The Richmond committee announces that the best hospitality of Old Vierims will be extended to the of Old Virginia will be extended to th

Estacada Business Men Form Club. The Estacada Business Men's Club Pratey; secretary, John F. Lovelace; freasurer, E. F. Surface, E. F. Sur-



Considered the Pine Sap the Supreme Specific.

A Philadelphia Doctor Tells of a New Pine Product.

Scripture writings and ancient history go to show that of all the ancient remedies handed down from our remote ancestors, pine is one of the very few that atill holds its place on the prescribing lists of the doctors of today as it did with the wise men of old as far back as the time of the Pharoahs. The ancient Greeks were week. the time of the Pharoahs. The ancient Greeks were wont to go upon the slopes of Caucasus and the Romans to climb the Alpine crags in search of this wonderful tree, the pine. One drawback to the free use of the great curative properties of the pine has been its insolubility, but a prominent Philadelphia physician who has been experimenting with refined pine products, some time ago announced that he had at list achieved success and gave the world what is known as Concentrated the world what is known as Concentrated oil of pine. In a recent interview he also gave out the formula which has attracted so much attention on account of its quick results in the relief and cure of all coids, coughs and bronchial troubles. The formula is very simple, being as follows:

"One-half ounce of Concentrated oil of pine; two ounces of slycerine; balf pint of good whisky; mix them and shake thoroughly and use every four hours in tablespoon doses." the world what is known as Concentrated

tablespoon doses."

These ingredients can be secured at any well-stocked prescription druggist and easily mixed at home.

The only care necessary is to be sure to get the "Concentrated" oil of pine, which always comes in half-onnce vials enclosed in round air-tight screw top cases to protect it from heat and retain all the original ozone.

Bulk oil and patent medicines using a similar name should be avoided.

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The Philadelphia specialist disclaims any credit for originality on the formula, as he states that with the exception of the improvement in the pine product it is practically the same as that frequently prescribed by Pericles.

face, E. S. Homer and J. F. Lovelace were made a committee on rules and bylaws. The initiation fee was placed at \$5. The object of the club is to promote the interests of Estacada and promote the interests of Estacada and the surrounding country. Following are the charter members: W. F. Cary, A. E. Sparks, N. S. Loury, A. N. Johnson, E. F. Surface, J. R. Cassidy, W. A. Cunningham, J. W. Reed, R. W. Cary, R. A. Stratton, E. L. Barnes, E. L. Fra-ley, H. Cooper, A. Morrow, E. Kaffoury, E. S. Homer, W. A. Jones, C. F. Howe, H. A. Williams, J. F. Lovelace, H. N. North.

There will be a large membership.

Blackadder Abstains 17 Years; Simmons Strikes in Sympathy

T was difficult for Judge Cameron to believe it when William Blackadder declared he had not drank a drop of Hquor for 17 years. The puzzle in his honor's mind was greatly increased by the personal appearance of the prisoner, who looked as though he had been on a pro-It was a peculiar case, in some respects,



in 17 Years," said Mr. Black-

for most drunken men will swear they are sober while the effect of the liquor is still on them, but when they sober up, will admit they have been intoxicated. Not so with Mr. Blackadder; he still declares he was not under the influence.

'Not a drop of liquor has passed my
lips for 17 years," declared Blackadder to
Judge Cameron. "Not a drop for 17 years,
I tell you. How could I have been drunk,

Judge Cameron decided to continue the case until tomorrow morning, at which time further evidence will be adduced by the prosecution to show that Blackadder was drunk Friday night.

E. Simmons, aged 30, was picked up in a North End saloon by Patrolman Humphrey Friday night. He was booked

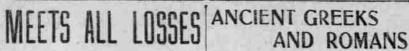


Sympathetic Strike.

on yesterday morning.
"Why don't you go to work?" asked

"Work!" exclaimed Young Simmons."
Don't you know there's a strike on?"
"Yes, but what has that to do with your case?" asked the judge. "Well, I was washing dishes in a restaurant, "replied Emmons, "and when the mill workers went out, I declared myself to be in sympathy with them, and also

Patrolman Humphrey testified that Sim-





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BATH RUG SPECIALS

Bargain offerings from our Carpet Department for tomorrow and Tuesday only-reversible and washable Bath Rugs in pleasing

patte	rns and	col	orings	of l	blue	, tan, r	ed and green.	Sixth	floor:
\$1.75	values,	24	inches	Ъу	48	inches.	Special		\$1.15
\$2.25	values,	27	inches	by	54	inches.	Special		\$1.35
							Special		
\$3.25	values,	36	inches	by	72	inches.	Special	40 * 1 * 1 * 1 * 1	\$2.15

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Attractive values for tomorrow's and Tuesday's selling. Special. 25c 3-quart size Granite Stew Pans. Special. 8-quart size Granite Dish Pans. Special. 40c 10-quart size Granite Dish Pans. Special 75 feet Wire Clothes Line Special



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when found in a Burnside-street saloon, and expressed the opinion that Simmons nade a mistake by going out on a sympa-hetic strike. Judge Cameron will render a decision in

Run Down and Injured by Car.

avenue and East Morrison streets about 6 o'clock last night, while on his wa home. The injured man was conveyed

to the Good Samaritan Hospital, where it was found that he had sustained a number of serious cuts and bruises and may be injured internally. At a late hour he had not recovered consciousness. Jackson and two others had alighted from an outbound car and started to grow the P. Jackson, who resides at 134 1-2 East outbound car and started to cross the wentieth street, was knocked down and tracks in front of an inbound car. Jack-

TO AVOID MICROBES

A Few Hints That, If Followed, Will Help You to Avoid Disease.

Common sense and cleanliness are two of the principal factors in the protection of people against tuberculosis, the white man's scourge, and other diseases. Just think of it, throughout the United States one denth in every nine is caused by tuberculosis. This is a terrible arraignment of our civilization when it is positively known that tuberculosis is preventable and curable. The microbe of tuberculosis and other diseases is taken into the system largely through food. If you are perfectly healthy the chances are favorable to your being able to overcome the attack of these foes to mankind, but if the system is in anyway run down the danger is serious.

Scrupulous cleanliness should niways be observed and plenty of fresh air and sanishine are absolutely necessary. Never sleep in a room with all of the windows closed, always leave one window open from the bottom and top.

It is well known that cattle are often infected with tuberculosis, lumpy jaw and other diseases, and the flesh from such beasts are unfit and daugerous for human consumption. The United States Government recognised the danger to which the people were subjected by reason of cating microbe-infected ment. A Pure Food law was passed by which slaughterers could secure Government inspection provided that they compiled with right rules laid down by this law. Where Government inspection exists absolute cleanliness is insisted upon and all animals inspected before and after slaughter, and if he any way infected the carcasses are condemned and destroyed. In purchasing meat insist upon receiving Government-inspected ment. The purple stamp on different parts of each carcass is the best menus of identification.

the effect. Ore was hammered to 37 cents, and the Merger sold as low at \$5.50. Trading was light. The close

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San Francisco, March 9.— There was nervous and panicky. Jim Butler, \$1: Jumbo, \$4: Blue Bull, 40 cents; According to a Brussels scientific journal, the world's production of rubber this year will reach 75,000 ions, worth over \$115.—

Cents: Great Bend, 99 cents: Daisy, 900,000.

wanas, \$1.57; Goldfield Consolidated, \$5 cents; Triangle, 46 cents.

Old Jewelry Repaired

R EPAIRING jewelry and silverware is as much our business as the repairing of watches, but we face the the repairing of watches, but we fear there are not many who know this. There is scarcely a home in which there are not a few pieces of jewelry or articles of silverware which have been laid away for safe keeping simply because they were broken and unfit for usage.

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