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### NEEDS MORE MONEY

### Garbage Crematory May Be Forced to Shut Down.

### BLAME FALLS ON COUNCIL

### Superintendent of Plant Tells Mayor That Appropriation Is \$6000 Less Than Is Necessary for Maintenance and Repairs.

### Mayor Lane Declared to the City Health Board, at its regular meeting yesterday morning, that unless the City Council provides more money for the garbage crematory, that institution will be closed.

### Superintendent Daggett asked for \$6000 more than was granted by the Council, which may result seriously, should the Council refuse to reconsider matter demands prompt attention, said Mayor Lane to the board.

### There is a long, high bridge leading out to the garbage dump and crematory proper, which is in very poor condition and which may fall down at any moment, according to Superintendent Daggett.

### "We will simply have to notify the Council that we will have to shut up the crematory unless they give us some more funds," said Mayor Lane. "We can't run the crematory on wind, and they may as well be aware of the fact."

### It was decided that it would be best to communicate with the Council by letter, and Superintendent Daggett was requested to be present to speak on the matter at the meeting of the ways and means committee at the next regular Council meeting.

### Superintendent Daggett asked for \$29,000 for operating expenses, but this amount was cut to approximately \$14,000—\$1500 less than he was granted for operation last year, although the amount of garbage collected is much larger. He said yesterday that it will require at least \$2500 to properly repair the elevated roadway, and he needed to make other alterations for the improvement of the service, which he cannot now make because of the lack of funds.

### The condition of the crematory has aroused much indignation among the residents where it is located, and it was said yesterday that some of the householders in the vicinity are contemplating an injunction suit to stop the city from further operating the crematory, alleging it to be a nuisance.

### CAME TO OREGON IN 1852

### Peter Taylor Celebrates 55th Birthday at Family Home.

Last Thursday was the 55th birthday of Peter Taylor, and in honor of the occasion upon that evening children, grandchildren, one great-grandchild and a few intimate friends of from 29 to more than 30 years, gathered at the family home on Caruthers street, and after an excellent dinner enjoyed several hours of most delightful social intercourse. One of the old friends took with him a copy of The Oregonian dated October 2, 1852, the date the patriarch of the family arrived in Portland, and he and his wife, now in her 84th year, scanned its columns with absorbing interest. Among the 119 advertisers in the Oregonian of that date only eight are now known to be among the living; viz: George A. Barnes, Olympia, Wash.; William H. Barnhart, Portland; Werner Brezeman, Salem; Dr. E. H. Griffin, Ierna, Skagitv County, California; Charles Hutchins, Portland; H. C. Leonard, Portland; P. A. Marquam, Portland; C. A. Reed, Portland; James C. Strong, Los Gatos, Cal.; J. W. Trutch, England; E. H. Comfort was postmaster in October, 1852, and in the list of over 200 letters advertised only three persons now known to be living are found, viz: W. B. Dobbelower, Rainier; William H.

### Harris, Portland; Rev. Robert Robe, Brownsville.

A little more than 60 years ago a Mr. Taylor left his native town of Perth, Scotland, determined to seek his fortune in the Western republic across the sea; and accordingly the year 1847 found him in New York City, where he soon found employment at his trade of cabinet-making, at which he served an apprenticeship of seven years before leaving "Auld Scotia." Ere long he had become a young man and that of a bright and comely English woman, from Sunderland, Durham County, England, who had come to New York, conveyed, and this acquaintance ripened into affection, the culmination of which was marriage on June 14, 1848. A little later the young couple removed to Hamilton County, Ohio, where, upon July 23, 1853, daughter was born. The desire of the husband to see more of "The West" burned in his veins, and it was not long before the family removed to Iowa, where a second child, a boy, was born on January 2, 1851. Then it was that the bright prospect for home building in the far-off Pacific Coast came to the knowledge of the head of the family, and accordingly he crossed the plains, and after a journey of six months, with ox teams, arrived in this city on October 2, 1852.

### Mr. Taylor secured employment at once, and in a few months sent for his wife

### and children, and they started late in the Fall and came by way of the Niagara route, arriving in Portland on January 7, 1854. For all this more than half a century, this family, now numbering six persons, has been intimately identified with the industrial and educational life of this city in a most commendable way and has set an example of good citizenship worthy of the highest commendation.

### Rush to Pay Taxes On.

Payment of taxes may now be made at the Courthouse. Yesterday over 100 receipts were issued, but the rush will hardly begin before Monday. A large force of men has been put to work in the tax collecting department of the Sheriff's office making out statements.

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### OREGON PIONEER WHO IS VISITING IN PORTLAND.



### Mrs. A. Merriman.

Although 73 years of age and the mother of 15 children, 12 of whom are living, Mrs. Merriman is still strong and as active as many women 29 years younger. She is the daughter of William H. Riddle, after whom the town of Riddle, in Douglas County, was named. The family crossed the plains in 1831 and settled at Riddle. There they remained for six years, participating in the Umpqua Indian war of 1855 and 1856. In 1857 the Merrimans moved to Jackson County, and the old home place near Medford, Or., is still owned by one of the Merriman sons. Following are the living children of Mrs. Merriman, all of whom are now the heads of families: J. W. Chapman, Montana; Mrs. T. T. Prather, Montana; George F. Merriman, Medford; Mrs. L. A. Bradley, Portland; Mrs. E. L. Bennett, Medford; Mrs. E. C. Clark, Myrtle Point; I. A. Merriman, Medford; Mrs. M. M. Houston, Portland; Mrs. C. K. Fronk, Albany; Mrs. J. C. Hill, Seattle; Mrs. John Beck, Seattle; Will Merriman, Portland. Mrs. Merriman says her grandchildren now number 23 and her great-grandchildren 5.

### SYSTEM IS CHANGED

### Juvenile Court Makes First Report Under New Rule.

### JANUARY CASES NUMBER 74

### Sixty-one of Delinquent and Dependent Children Boys and 13 Girls. Many Crimes Are Committed by the Little People.

### In a detailed report of Juvenile Court work during the first month of the new year, a number of interesting facts and figures were presented yesterday by Circuit Judge Gantenbein.

### The first of these reports shows that 74 children were dealt with during the 31 days just ended. Of this number 61 were boys and 13 girls. Delinquents numbered 49 and dependents 15.

### Fourteen and fifteen years are the most troublesome ages in the experience of those connected with the Juvenile Court work, and the report shows that 27 of the cases dealt with were of children of those ages. Ten years and under were the least troublesome, but 19 cases being recruited therefrom. After 10 children begin getting troublesome, the figures show very clearly for arrests of children between 11 and 13 numbered 30. Children between 16 and 17 to the number of 14 were tried.

### Offenses of a serious nature are shown to have been committed by children. Burglary, theft, immorality, smoking tobacco, disorderly conduct, truancy and vagrancy are included in the list. Four boys were arrested for the crime of burglary and 12 for theft. Ten were tried for immorality, 10 for violation of the city ordinances, two for malicious mischief, three for persistent truancy, six for incorrigibility, four cigarette smoking, four tobacco smoking, two disorderly conduct, five running away, four other causes. Causes of dependency are given as drunkenness or immoral or willful neglect of parents.

### Of the 74 wayward youngsters handled, Judge Gantenbein found it necessary to send only three boys to the Reform School. Hopes of effectively reforming the others were held out. Thirteen cases were continued for sentence, two were dismissed for want of jurisdiction, 17 reprimands were given. If delinquents were placed on good behavior, three children were committed to the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, nine were sent to the Detention Home, and seven were sent to charitable institutions. In case of separation of parents two children were awarded to their mothers and one to the father, the mother being declared an unfit person.

### Aside from the cases regularly handled, considerable work was done in the way of warning parents and wayward children. Ten cases were investigated and not taken into court, 25 letters of warning were sent out and 12 children were taken to the courtroom and warned.

### DIVORCE SUIT HIS REMEDY

### Law Refuses to Help Husband to Punish Wife's Betrayer.

After making a determined attempt to get the man who eloped with his wife in the penitentiary and falling, D. C. Cummings, a railroad man, started divorce proceedings in the Circuit Court yesterday afternoon. He asks that he be given a decree of divorce from Maggie Cummings and not taken into court, 25 letters of warning were sent out and 12 children were taken to the courtroom and warned.

### Concert at Seaman's Friend Society.

The regular weekly concert for sailors will be given tomorrow evening in the hall of the Portland Seaman's Friend Society, corner of Third and Flanders streets. J. G. Kilpack will have entire charge and has arranged the following programme: Miss Grace Campbell, soprano; Mrs. Hutchins, contralto; Lucy Wisdom, tenor; J. G. Kilpack, baritone; Miss Anita Pearey, reader; Mrs. W. A. Congdon, ventriloquist.

### For the benefit of the landspeople who will be present, a number of sailors will also take part, and a cordial invitation is extended to all friends of seamen. Concert begins at 8 P. M.

# START RIGHT

## It Pays to Investigate

Don't start in furnished rooms. Get a cozy flat or cottage and furnish it to suit yourselves. Where to buy your furnishings is one of the most important things you will have to decide upon. A place where you can make small monthly payments, and where you can buy at reasonable prices should be selected. If you investigate you will find this store is such a place, and there are very few others.

## February Sales

Our inventory is completed and, like every other big store, we find many items that must go to make room for newer stock. It is our policy to keep our stock bright and fresh. We can mention only a few of the extraordinary values we offer in this advertisement.

## Monarch MALLEABLE

The 'Stay Satisfactory' Range

Unbreakable, and indestructible. Top of wood or coal. Tops smooth polish without blacking. The only range with a cash guarantee. Price, \$57.00 to \$135

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Another range may do, but if you want the best, come and see the Monarch, the only range made with duplex draft. One dollar per week will buy one, or by paying cash you can get 10 per cent discount.

## Go-Carts Underpriced

Our Go-Carts cost us less. We have not the space to tell you all about them—but we purchased a cartload at one-third less than the regular wholesale price. You can buy cheap and medium Go-Carts of all kinds here for such prices as most dealers pay.

## Desks at Cost

As stated in our ads for the past two months, we are closing out the office desk department. When these are gone we will have no more. Prices on desks continue just the same as during the challenge sale.

## February Sales

Rag Carpets; durable, fast colors; one yard wide, per yard.....\$3.60  
Fibro Carpets; very heavy and durable; in light finished colors; made from the American grass fiber; per yard.....\$4.60  
Half Wool Ingrains; a fine, heavy fabric; one yard wide, per yard.....\$6.75  
All-Wool Ingrains; medium quality; sewed and laid, the yard.....\$5.60  
Brussels Carpets; three-fourths yard wide; in floral patterns; laid, per yard.....\$7.50  
Extra fine tin wire body Brussels Carpets; usual price \$1.20, six patterns at.....\$9.00  
Axminster Carpets; fine, soft fabric and a good pattern; usual price \$1.50, sale price.....\$1.17

## A Big Value

We buy tables in straight carloads. We get lower prices and lower freight rate. This six-foot Extension Table, as illustrated, 6 feet long, 42 in. diameter; beautiful golden oak finish. Center leg in pedestal. February sale price.....\$12.50

## February Sale of Dressers

### A Smashing Bargain

Dresser as illustrated: made of white maple, with French bevel mirror top; 28x42; swell top drawers; \$16 value.

FOR \$10.95

## February Sale of IRON BEDS

Quite a number of beds of which we have only one or two left. Quite a few samples which are a little showy, and some patterns that have not been ready sellers. All these are offered at most attractive price. Space does not permit us to make a complete list.

No. 20 Bed, \$3.50 values for.....\$2.25  
No. 9 Bed, \$4.00 values for.....\$2.40  
No. 101 Bed, \$6.00 values for.....\$4.45  
No. 570 Bed, \$8.00 values for.....\$5.75  
No. 238VM Bed, \$9.50 for.....\$7.85

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pententary, but immediately granted a parole. Cummings went direct from the courtroom to the office of his lawyer, B. S. Pague, and had a divorce complaint drawn up.

"Don't be surprised now if you read tomorrow or next week, or next year of some husband killing his wife's betrayer, and don't ask why he didn't go to law," said Attorney Pague in commenting on the case. "You see what the law does in such cases."

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(Special.)—One of the mysteries of the day is the motive of the French press in trying to embroil the United States and Japan. The Americans here, who consider that they were very severely treated by France during the financial slump, in view of the traditional relations between the two countries, are very wroth with the French comments. Japanese, who have neither likes nor dislikes, content themselves with disclaiming the warlike projects attributed to them.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Consolidating the financial resources of the bay cities to meet the demand for an adequate supply of water and distributing the ultimate cost of \$100,000,000 so that the bonding limit of none of the municipalities would be endangered, is the plan

of a committee which is working out the problem of a metropolitan water supply for four bay counties. The details involve the purchase by each separate municipality of the present distribution system within its own limit and the creation of a metropolitan water commission by act of the Legislature, which shall acquire all the nearby sources and sell water to the several cities at the points where the mains cross their boundaries. Ultimately it is proposed that this commission shall build the pipe line to the Sierra and add the water so developed to the system, which would be already in operation, for its delivery.

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