

IRVINGTON CLUB ENDS TOURNAMENT

Final Games Played Off and Cups and Prizes Are Awarded Victors.

DANCE ENDS THE MATCH

Clubhouse Brilliant Scene—Miss Fox Wins Ladies' Singles, Wicksham Men's Singles, Cavston and Shives Men's Doubles.

Yesterday witnessed the final matches in all the tennis courts at the Irvington Tennis Club's handsome tournament. It also afforded some very fine tennis, especially in the ladies' and men's singles. Miss Fox beat Miss Schaefer in the ladies' singles after a very hard fight. Miss Schaefer won the first set very handsomely but Miss Fox found her pace after this set and by consistent playing won the next two sets, thereby gaining possession of the Lockwood cup for the year. Score 1-6, 6-2, 6-4.

In the men's singles between Mr. Black and Mr. Wicksham the tennis was exceptionally good. Wicksham, by his splendid net game and hard drives and placing won from Black who depended entirely on a lobbing game, by the scores 3-6, 6-4, 6-1.

The men's doubles was won from Andrews and Wilder by Cavston and Shives, who, by the aid of their handi-capped and brilliant playing, pulled the match. Score 6-4, 6-2, 7-5.

The ladies' doubles, Miss Fox and Miss Leadbetter vs. Mrs. Northrup and Miss Schaefer, was won by the latter team. Score 6-3, 6-2. The handicapped committee did not seem to be equal to the occasion of handicapping the mixed doubles, as most of the teams seemed very heavily handicapped and consequently the finals detailed down to two teams who were not anchored by any owe odds. The teams were: Miss Fox and Mr. Cavston vs. Miss Fording and Mr. Shives. Miss Fox and Mr. Cavston won by a score of 6-4, 6-4.

Taken all in all the tournament has been a great success, having been the cause of some of the finest matches and also of starting the tennis season with considerable enthusiasm for the game. The tournament was brought to a still more enjoyable close by a tennis ball at the clubhouse at which time the cups and prizes were awarded the winners of the various events.

N. P. GIVES UP OLD GRADE

Oregon & Washington Will Make Use of Former Survey.

CHEHALIS, Wash., June 13.—That the Oregon & Washington intends to use the old Union Pacific grade from the Columbia River to Chehalis, was learned here from persons very close to the head office. Whether the agreement has been made between the Northern Pacific and Union Pacific, allowing the latter to use this grade, is not known. The Northern Pacific people are supposed to have bought up the grade a year or two ago at tax sale. Last year when it was rumored that the Union Pacific gave it out that it intended to double track to Portland. Chehalis is located at a strategic point on the Northern Pacific, by reason of the fact that the Nevada and the Columbia rivers are merely bluff. Subsequent indications are that such was the case. It was stated that the Oregon & Washington would use the old grade as far as the north limit of Chehalis, where the track would cross the Northern Pacific and continue on to Centralia on the east side.

OREGON PLANS ELABORATE

Commencement Week at Eugene to Attract Large Number Alumni.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., June 13.—(Special.)—Elaborate plans are being made for this year's commencement exercises, which will be attended by the largest number of alumni and friends of the university that ever assembled in Eugene. Owing to the recent victory of the university at the hands of the voters of the state, alumni and supporters of the institution are feeling especially jubilant and the reunions of commencement week will no doubt be the most successful on record.

The complete programme for commencement week is as follows:
Sunday, June 21.—Baccalaureate sermon, Villard Hall 11 A. M. by Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, St. of Boston, Mass.
Monday, June 22.—Day of prayer, 8 P. M. Graduating exercises, School of Music, Villard Hall 8 P. M.
Tuesday, June 23.—Alumni business meeting of Alumni Association, Villard Hall, 9 A. M. Alumni banquet, in tent on campus, 7:30 P. M. Flower and fern procession, on campus, 7:50 P. M. Felling and Beckman prize contest, 8 P. M., Villard Hall.
Wednesday, June 24.—Dinner to visiting ex-students from Portland, in tent on campus, 12 noon. Address to graduating class and presentation of diplomas, Villard Hall, 2 P. M., followed by unveiling of portrait of President John W. Johnson. Annual alumni ball, Armory, 8 P. M.

CAN'T GET WOODCUTTERS

Men Refuse to Chop for \$1.10 Cord. Fear Fuel Shortage.

PENDLETON, Or., June 13.—(Special.)—A labor famine in the wood camps of Meacham and Kameia threatens to cut short the fuel supply of Pendleton, Walla Walla and intervening towns. Contractors are offering \$1.10 a cord, but this price does not tempt the cutters in any considerable numbers. A good cutter makes from \$2.50 to \$3 a day.

One year ago the scarcity of labor compelled the contractors to boost the price to \$2 a cord, but then there was a fuel famine scare and the consumers were willing to pay a price that justified this expenditure. Now there is no scare and the railroads have recently boosted the rate from the mountain yards to Pendleton 25 cents on the cord and tacked on 50 cents to the Walla Walla rate.

At present there seems to be a fairly good supply of wood on hand, both in the yards in this city and on the plat-

WINNER OF MEN'S SINGLES, AND HIS OPPONENT



B. H. WICKSHAM.



B. E. BLACK.

forms in the mountains, so it is hard to determine what effect the labor shortage will have on the winter supply. The wood now on hand was left over from last year.

HILL AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Railroad Magnate Has Nothing to Say Regarding Interview.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—James J. Hill, of the Great Northern Railway, conferred with the President today and afterward stated he was going on his vacation and had taken his leave of Mr. Roosevelt. He disavowed any special knowledge as to the President's policy toward corporations, but vigorously insisted that any corporation violating the laws should be prosecuted to the utmost.

Speaking of the segregation of subsidiary companies by railway corporations, he said that so far as the Northern Pacific was concerned all the coal lands owned by that company were needed for the company's own purposes, suggesting that only in the case of a coal famine would the question arise of furnishing coal to any one outside of the corporation.

Mr. Hill lingered behind all callers in conversation with the President 20 minutes.

SLASHED FROM EAR TO EAR

Man Dead, Wife Dying and Murderer Still at Large.

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 13.—As the result of a drinking carousal on the waterfront today, Patrick Bryan is dead, with his throat cut from ear to ear, and his Indian wife is now hovering between

WINNERS OF MEN'S DOUBLES AT IRVINGTON TENNIS TOURNAMENT



E. E. CAVSTON AND T. SHIVES.

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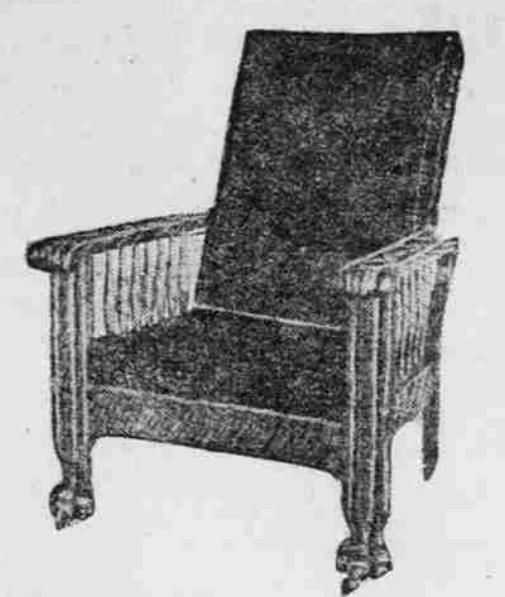
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Arrived This Week:

- New Carpets in Wiltons and Brussels.
- More Rixdorfer Parquet Floor Covering.
- A large shipment of Decorative Tapestries, Brocades and Silks; and
- New Dining-Room and Parlor Furniture.



Special Values in Morris Chairs

We are offering this week some very unusual values in Morris Chairs. Our stock is very large and occupies space badly needed. The chairs on sale are of fine quality, made from the finest quarter-sawn oak and beautifully finished. They are very heavy, of rigid construction, with seats of fine steel springs. The cushions are upholstered in a heavy, handsome velour, and are reversible. **Prices this week, \$10.00 to \$20.00.**

BUILD BIG WAREHOUSE

PARLIN & ORENDORFF TO HAVE FOUR-STORY BUILDING.

Structure Will Be of Brick on Concrete Foundations and Will Occupy Space 100x200 Feet.

Eastern business men are becoming more and more impressed with the advantages and opportunities offered in Portland for the establishment of large enterprises.

In the past few months a number of manufacturing concerns that had established sales depots in this city, found that their business had grown to such an extent that it became necessary to enlarge their capacity, and having faith in the present and future importance of Portland as a distributing point, decided to build warehouses large enough to handle their trade to the best advantage.

Another case of this character is that of the agricultural implement house of Parlin & Orendorff, which has had a branch in this city for about 15 years. The house has decided to build a large building for its exclusive use on the East Side on a site purchased a year ago at a price that today would be considered ridiculously low.

The home plant of the company is located at Canton, Ill., and the local manager is H. G. Tenney, who has made an enviable reputation for himself in business circles. U. G. Orendorff, of the firm, has been in Portland for some days in consultation with Mr. Tenney, and yesterday made the announcement that it had been determined to begin building a four-story brick warehouse on concrete foundations built on piling. The site of this building is the 100x200 piece bounded on the north by Belmont street, on which the 300-foot front will face, and will have 100 feet on Water street and 100 feet on the Southern Pacific. The interior will be of heavy mill construction of the slow-burning system now used in this class of buildings, and will be equipped with automatic sprinklers.

Further plans for the construction of the building will await completion of drawings and specifications now being prepared by Lewis & Lewis, the architects. When these have been submitted and accepted, operations will begin as soon as possible. The warehouse will be one of the best buildings of its class in the city.

Twilight League Among Churches.

The Twilight Baseball League, an organization composed of teams from

THREE MEMBERS ADDED

President Increases Personnel of Inland Waterways Commission.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—(Special.)—President Roosevelt, who has shown the liveliest possible interest in the development of the waterways of the country for which the National Rivers and Harbors Congress stands, today enlarged the personnel of the Inland Waterways Commission by requesting Senator William B. Allison, of Iowa; Representative Joseph E. Ransdell, of Louisiana, and Professor George F. Swain, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, to serve as members of the commission, together with those previously appointed.

Senator Allison has long been interested in the Mississippi River project. Congressman Ransdell, of Louisiana, is president of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, whose annual convention in this city December 5, 10 and 11 next will be attended by upwards of 500 delegates representing every state in the Union. Professor Swain, of the famous School of Technology of Massachusetts, has been an authority on water transportation and interested in the development of waterways for many years.

Shipping News of Tacoma.

TACOMA, Wash., June 13.—One of the largest cargoes of grain and feed shipped from this port to San Francisco during the present heavy movement of wheat to California is being sent on the steamer Tampico. The freighter is loading about 2200 tons of grain, and in addition will leave out with feed and lard.

The British steamer Suveric leaves tomorrow for Seattle to complete loading, and her sister vessel, the Kumeric, is due in from Manila via China and Japan with general cargo.

The British steamer Strathrod was expected in during the night from Eureka, Cal., to load lumber and flour for the West Coast.

The tank steamer Maverick came from Seattle today, and after discharging 20,000 gallons of coal oil, left for San Francisco direct.

Foreign wheat clearances for the week totalled only 624 bushels, valued at \$580, for the Hawaiian Islands. For Honolulu and the Orient 24,119 barrels of flour, worth \$137,265, were cleared.

Pamelia Lake Still There.

PAAMELIA LAKE, Or., June 11.—(To the Editor.)—I wish to correct a rumor that was in circulation this Spring, that the waters of Pamelia Lake, lying at the base of Mount Jefferson, had

receded until the lake was dry. I have investigated the matter and find that the report is untrue. The lake is still a beautiful sheet of water, and the finest fishing is still to be enjoyed there. Pamelia Lake is gradually receding, but will be a grand fishing resort for several years. Still, the outlet should be protected, so that one of our beautiful mountain streams should be preserved. M. W. HUNT



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Kansas City	60.00	75.00

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- June 19, 20
- July 6, 7, 22, 23
- August 6, 7, 21, 22

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Well-Known Business Man Visits Every Portland Piano House and Then Buys at the Eilers Store.

ANOTHER REMARKABLE WEEK OF PIANO SELLING

"I am not surprised at the crowds I find in your store. I have been to every piano house in Portland, but I am convinced that here is the place to save money. These were the words of a business man, well-known in Portland, yesterday, after having purchased a beautiful colonial style Kimball piano.

This man's experience has been that of hundreds of others. It is not strange that the greatest, conservative, careful purchaser finally decides upon one of the makes of pianos in our store.

To begin with he is given a choice of more makes and styles of instruments than can be found in any other piano establishment on the Coast and Northwest. No matter what his preference may be, no matter what quality of musical tone appeals most to his fancy, he can be suited in the large variety of fine, high-grade pianos always found on the floors of Eilers stores.

In the matter of quality every instrument handled by the Eilers Stores is selected with the utmost care, because every instrument sold must give satisfaction to the buyer or it is no sale.

Buying for 40 large Western stores, it would be strange indeed if the most substantial saving could not be effected. In the buying of these pianos, such tremendous lots, in the shipping by the most up-to-date methods, and the handling of the pianos in such large numbers, we are safe in saying that the cost per piano of disposing of pianos in the Eilers establishment is considerably less than one-half of the expense of the smaller dealer who handles but a few instruments a month.

At Eilers Stores you will always find just what is advertised—no disappointment, no misrepresentation. If a piano is advertised at a certain price it is here for sale—and just as represented. Some one else may pick up the bargain before you get here, and we will at all times prove this by giving the purchaser's name and address, etc.

In "The Piano Market," published on another page, will be found some very interesting news—news worth reading. Bargains here, too—yes, perhaps ten times as many as can be found at any other store and twice as good—only a few of some fifty in the Piano Exchange and Bargain Room are mentioned—call at the store and you will see to you the magnitude of this house in all things musical. Perhaps you would be interested in our saving on a Player Piano—we have about all

makes—"slightly used," in good condition, at very reduced prices.

No matter what you have in mind—come here and see if we haven't it. If so, you can save money—we'll guarantee it. Ours is an every day business—every day our best.

The New Scale \$425 Eilers Club Pianos are alike all through—as good inside as they look outside. They are designed and built for musical people who want good pianos—reliable pianos—musical pianos, at minimum cost, which is now obtainable through the Eilers 500 Piano Club. Cost to club members only \$37.50. Regular price, either for cash or pay \$17 when you join, then 48¢ per month or \$2 weekly, with regular rate of interest. There is no waiting—piano is sent home at once.

Besides the saving of \$122 by joining the club—we do not collect from widows and orphans of club members—see announcement in the "Piano Market."

The Eilers New Scale \$425 Club Piano every instrument sold must give satisfaction to the buyer or it is no sale.

We have spent our thought, time and money for the past five years on the perfecting of the Eilers Piano. We have now brought it before the public a masterpiece of art and workmanship. The handling of the piano is such that you will see and hear it. Eilers pianos have been in constant use for several years now in the Northwest—were always good—better today than ever.

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And now you can join in our cooperative Eilers Club offer—instead of retailing at regular price, you and 499 others join in wholesale buying. Our club booklet is now in press—first edition of 20,000 will be ready for mailing or store distribution June 20. Be sure you secure yours—now is your interest to do so. It will not take long—possibly only a week or so to secure your club membership, as all our stores will be given their proportion. Safest plan is to write at once or call—EILERS has a NO HIGHER QUALITY of Highest Quality, 353 Washington st.