RICHARD L. DURHAM DIES AT AGE OF 66

Banker Who Devoted Talents to Upbuilding of Portland Held Numerous Posts.

FUNERAL TO BE TOMORROW

From Birth in Oregon City in 1850 Entire Span Passed in This State and Activity in Social and Industrial Growth Marked.

The story of an Oregon son who climbed beyond the ladder of mere commercial success to become a factor in the building of Portland was closed yesterday morning in the death of Richard L. Durham at a private sanitarium, after an illness of several

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Bankera of Portland will pay their respects at his tuneral tomorrow at the Finley enapel at 1 o'clock. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Luther R. Dyott, pastor of the First Congregational Church. The greater part of Mr. Durham's life was spent in Portland's banking circles.

Mr. Durham, born in Oregon City 68 years ago, was the son of pioneer parents. His father, Albert A. Durham, came to Oregon City from New York in 18f7. He moved to Oswego and sold his business to the Oregon Steel Company. Later he operated a sawmill in Washington County. He was a member of the Territorial Legislature.

R. L. Durham spent his boyhood on the farm and attended Portland Academy and Willamette University at Salem. He became a resident of Portland in 1870, when he accepted an appointment as deputy County Clerk under C. W. Parish. He resigned in 1878 to become deputy City Auditor, which position he held for five terms.

He left this to enter the banking business, becoming cashier of the Portland Savings Bank at Second and Oak streets. Soon he became cashier of the Commercial National Bank and was chosen vice-president of the Wells-Fargo Bank when this institution took over the Commercial National; then vice-president of the Merchants National Bank and later was advanced to the presidency of this institution, which post he retained until its absorption by the Northwestern National recently.

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He was also vice-president of the Oregon Land-Investment Company and was president of the Portland Clearinghouse Association for several years. He was a director of the Beaver Lumber Company, of the Banfield Veysey Fuel Company and other enterprises.

He married in 1872 Miss Hannah Gault, who, with a son, Gilbert Durham, and a daughter, Mrs. W. B. Jones, of Boston, survive him. Mrs. Durham is also a native of Oregon.

Prominent in fraternal circles, he was a charter member of the Multnomah

a charter member of the Multnomah Council of the Royal Arcanum, grand receiver for 30 years of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, and a mem-ber of the Masonic and Oddfellow

Dr. Durham concentrated his ener-Dr. Durham concentrated his energies toward the upbuilding of Portland. He was chosen vice-president of the State Board of Immigration, organized in 1881 to advertise the state of Oregon, and to attain this end he equipped exhibit cars with Oregon products,

Sending them East.

He was one of the organizers of the Chamber of Commerce and of the Commercial Club.

H. B. MILLER GIVES TALK

PROPER WEALTH CREATION AND

Solving of Problem Is to Be Contribution of Present Era to History, Speaker Avers.

In enumerating and reviewing the contributions of each age of history the development of man, H. B. Miller director of the school of commerce

struggle of humanity loday, is it not wise," asked Mr. Miller, "that we should understand how to grasp the fact and to endeavor to get our work and activities in harmony with this thought and spirit of the times?

"I do not mean the mere accumulation of wealth. It is the age of the creation and distribution of wealth. Accumulative wealth will be of no particular value except as it is used.

"To accomplish the best creation of wealth men have to be particularly skillful and well trained. They have to have a knowledge of art and a comprehensive grasp of all the features of commerce, and of the various contributions to world history before this era. Thus, we have not merely to accumulate wealth, but we have to have the spirit of the use of wealth, the spirit and knowledge of art and cratory, and the uses of art and oratory."

VISTA BOOTH IS PLANNED

Canvass for Funds to Be Continued at Automobile Show.

The canvass among automobile owners by letter for contributions to the Vista House fund will be sup, lemented during the week of the automobile show by the installation of a Vista House booth in the exhibit pavilion.

mobble schools and address the punils	it is almost impossible to identify them. Every tire has a number. "Every week we make up a list of stolen articles for the garage men's association, and this is published in a bulletin sent out by them all over Oregon and part of Washington. In this way stolen goods can be located when they show up at any garage." The same applies to other articles, such as typewriters and watches. Warmth Relieves Stock Near Monroe	If there was no radio-activity in the water from a generator purchased by Fred Silcocks, as used as a relief for rheumatism, he could not prove it in the court of District Judge Dayton Friday for he did not have the original generator as evidence, and he lost his suit for \$15 against the Radio Active Water Company. The company allowed a firm of	will be 16 in number, five feet wide and 15 feet long. The general scheme calls for 40 beds of bloom, featuring many varieties of roses and other flowers, all leading up to a huge rose fountain in the center of the display. The fountain will be illuminated, surrounded by a promenade, and Dorothy Perkins roses, the climbing variety, will be used	The state of the s
J. R. Thieboff 5.00 C. W. Frank 5.00 Palace Laundry Company 5.00 W. A. Wheeler 5.00 Total \$1.204.73 Previously acknowledged \$42.75 Mrs. O. B. Stubbs 5.00 Otts F. Akin 3.00 H. R. Everding 5.00 George L. Greenfield 2.00 A. Rupert 3.00 L. H. Stearnie 5.00 E. M. Rustinussen 5.00	Warmer weather accompanied by rain is rapidly sweeping away the snow, raising the streams and rendering the country roads almost impassable. The terroars feel much relieved, however,	Teacher's Decision Entered. The mandate of the Supreme Court, ordering that Maud L. Richards be reinstated in the city schools and that her back salary be paid was entered	Highway stage service, reported last night that the Columbia Highway was in splendid condition since the thaw, the heavy snow drifts having disappeared. "We came in from Henderson's chalet at Crown Point without	

Total cash and pledges \$ 378.73

OFFICERS OF THE "LANG SYNE" SOCIETY, WHICH IS TO HOLD ITS ANNUAL DINNER WEDNESDAY EVENING AT MULTNOMAH HOTEL.



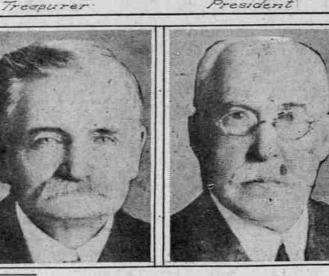
Frank Dayton,



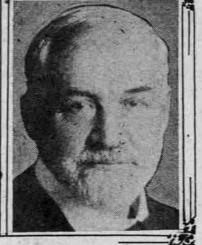


General Charles F. Beebe, President

H.L. Idleman Secretary







Chas H. Dodd, 2nd Vice-President

FEW KNOW NUMBERS PUT ON LOST ARTICLES, SAY POLICE.

Antolsta Who Expect to Recover Stolen Goods Without Giving Needed Description Are Consured.

H. L. Galord, 114 Front street, has a car stolen last Summer that was re-covered for him by the city detectives. Yesterday he asked them to locate a tire stolen from his machine, just

when, he didn't know. The incident occasioned criticism on the part of the detectives of motorists in general who fail to make record of the numbers of their machines, prestolite tanks, magnetos, tires, all of Mr. LaRoche Will Give Opinion on which are numbered to protect against

(Special.)—During the year 1915, Klamath County autoists, motorcyclists and chaufeurs paid a total sum of \$1383 into the office of the Secretary of State for licenses, transfers and duplicates. Klamath County ranged 13th as respects the number of licenses issued for the year. Of the amount paid in. Secretary Olcott has first deducted the cost of the license plates, chauffeure hadges, postage, clerk hire, printing of blanks, etc., which amounted to \$394.33; and has remitted the balance, \$1588.67; to County Treasurer George A. Haydon, This amount goes to the county road fund.

SETTLEMENT OF ST. JOHNS WATER CASE OUT OF COURT EXPECTED.

in five years total \$40,658,854.78, an average of more than \$8,000,000 a year, according to figures just compiled by County Auditor S. B. Martin. The receipts for this time, however, have been \$41,005.37, leaving a surplus Janend of the year 1910 the balance was

The most expensive year in the his tory of the county was 1914, with disbursements totaling \$9,563,054.38. Next came 1915 with expenditures of \$9,386,691.80. The receipts for 1915 were the heaviest yet, totaling \$10,190,899.25.
A table of receipts and disbursements for the county in five years past, as

Expenditures for Multnomah County

in California, uary 1, 1916, of \$1,272,150.59. At the SLEUTHS TRACE UMBRELLA

which are numbered to protect against burgiary.

"It's a wonder more automobile accessories are not taken," commented one of the officers yesterday. "The people who own cars and report losses don't seem to know just when their articles were stolen and they have little idea of a description by which

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF MULTNOMAH COUNTY FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

Compiled by S. B. 1911. 1948.740.22 Cash received from all sources 6,798,576,54	Martin, Coun 1912. \$ 450,750.93 7,828,630.22	1913. \$ 453,639.57 7,372,311,86			Totals.
Total receipts and balances \$7,048,130.76 Disbursements of various funds \$6,597,385.83	\$8,279,290,15 7,285,650,58	\$7,825,931,43 7,286,072,21	\$16,639,997.50 9,563,054.36	\$10,638,842.89 9,386,691.80	\$41,931,005.87 40,658,854.78
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R. L. Durham, Who Died Yes-

Klamath Ranks Thirteenth.

director of the school of commerce of the University of Oregon, yesterday, before the Portland Principals' Association, averred that the contribution of the present era to world history was the present era to world history was to be the creation and proper distribution of wealth.

"If that is the main purpose and struggle of humanity today, is it not wise," asked Mr. Miller, "that we should wise wise,"

situation. An opinion will be written by Mr. LaBoche regarding the right of Last Year's Location Will Be Used the city to build a duplicate system in the district in face of the assertion of the company that it has an exclusive franchise.

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Commissioner Baker had been counted upon to stand with Mayor Albee and Commissioner Dieck for the purchase of the plant at the company's figure, which was the value placed upon the plant by Water Engineer Clarke. Mr. Baker, however, did not vote for the purchase. He declared that he did not want to be in the position of forcing a big expenditure onto Mr. Daly's department when Mr. Daly did not approve of it. He says he wants Mr. Daly to share equally in the responsibility of taking over the plant.

The people of St. Johns are exerting every influence to get the plant into the city's control quickly because of the reduction of rates that will be the result in all probability, unless Commissioner Daly is willing to take his responsibility with a majority of the Council in coming to terms satisfactory to himself and the company.

RADIO-WATER SUIT IS LOST

Failure to Present Original Generatory in the course of Action.

Figure 1916 Rose Festival Center will occupy more than 75,000 square feet in the blocks bounded by Salmen, Madison, Park and West Park streets. This is included in the plans for the great floral feature as outlined to the Festival Association by J. O. Conville, park superintendent and one of the governors of this year's floral features have already been worked out by Mr. Conville, park superintendent and one of the governors of this year's floral display suit been worked out the plans of last year's floral display with John F. Carroll, 1915 Festival Association by J. O. Conville, park superintendent and one of the governors of this year's floral display with John F. Carroll, 1915 Festival Association by J. O. Conville, park superintendent and one of the governors of this year's floral display with John F. Carroll, 1915 Festival Association by J. O. Conville, park superintendent and one of the governors of this year's floral features have already been worked out the plans of last year's floral display with John F. Carroll, 1915 Festival Association by

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Jan 22 by Judge Morrow yesterday,

ROSE CENTER PLANNED

BEAUTIFUL FLORAL FEATURE IS PLANNED FOR FESTIVAL.

Teacher's Decision Entered.

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Lang Syne Society Meeting Set for Wednesday.

200 MEMBERS EXPECTED

Organization Composed of Merchants Who Have Been in Busi-Annual Reunion Is Held.

With approximately 200 members present the "Lang Syne" Society will hold its third annual reception and dinner at the Multnomah Hotel Wednes-

hold its third annual reception and dinner at the Multnomah Hotel Wednesday evening. Elaborate preparations are now in progress for the event and it is planned to make the gathering the best in the history of the organization.

Plans now formulated are to have the reception from 5 to 7 o'clock, the dinner starting at 7 o'clock. A brief musical programme has been arranged to follow the dinner which will be interspersed with short talks by prominent members of the organization. The talks will be principally of a reminiscent nature. Charles F. Beebe, president of the organization, will preside.

The society is composed of prominent business men of the city who were in business in Portland 25 years ago or more. Each year the members come together for an annual dinner, to renew old misqualintences and talk over old times. The motto of the organization is, "Should and acquaintence be forgot."

Officers of the organization report that it is growing in popularity and that many new members were added to the roster during the year.

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The officers of the organization are: Charles F. Beebe, president; F. E. Beach, vice-president; Charles H. Dodd, second vice-president; H. L. Idleman, secretary; Frank Dayton, treasurer; George H. Himes, historian; Ralph W. Hoyt, musical director.

\$139 IN BAD COIN FOUND

Money Uncovered by Lad Identified as Work of Man, Now in Prison.

reminder of the meteoric care A reminder of the meteoric career of Henry Hargens, counterfeiter of National fame, who passed through Portland spreading spurious coin as he went a year and a half ago, ultimately to be captured in Spokane, was discovered Friday when a pile of coins, totaling in face value \$129, was found under the east approach to the Burnside bridge.

The find was made by the small son of W. E. Cox. 26 East Sixth street, whose joy at finding 27 \$5 pleces and four dollars was that of a gold mine

four dollars was that of a gold mine discovery. The coins were turned over to William A. Glover, United States Secret Service Bureau, who recognized the work of Hargens, who is in prison

How Was It Done? "We Searched the Theater," Sald Detectives.

"Mrs. Cora Fish, of the Dayton Hotel,

There is always a new game, say the Two men walked into the tailor shop

The other man left during the process, and after both had gone Rosinske felt reasonably certain that two bolts of cloth had left with the visitor.

Plan Is to Connect Williams Avenue

with Adams street and the railroad bridge are being considered by interested business men and property owners on Williams avenue. This connection may be accomplished by extending Adams street from Multnomah street to Cherry street and Williams avenue through blocks 12, 23 and 25 in Mc-Millen's addition. Only portions of these blocks will be required for this extension.

extension.

By connecting Williams avenue directly with the railroad bridge, it is estimated that 50 per cent more travel would use Williams avenue than at present. To make this extension will require a large assessment district to meet the cost. At present there are few buildings on the blocks that will be needed for the extension. The cost

GRIP FATAL TO HILLSBORO PIONEER OF 1846.



Mrs. Polly Caroline Butler.

HILLSBQRO, Or., Jan. 22.— (Special.)—Mrs. Polly Caroline Butler, pioneer of 1846 and widow of Isaac Butler, died here Monday from grip, aged 75. With her parents in 1846 she crossed the plains to Oregon, the family settling on a farm in Clackamas County, near Oregon City. In 1855 she was married to James H. Moore, a pioneer of 1852, and of three children born one, Mrs. W. H. McEldowney, of Forest Grove, survives. Mr. Moore died in 1861, and in 1869 she was married to Isaac Butler, and two of their five children survive, as follows: James E. Butler, living in Portland, and Lottie H. Butler Mrs. Polly Caroline Butler

of the extension would be about \$50,

in Portland, and Lottie H. Butler

FIRST METHODIST CEREMONIES TO BE HELD NEXT SUNDAY.

Social Functions by Various Departments Will Be Held Week Following in Sunday School Home.

Preparations are being made for the dedication of the new \$60,000 Sunday school temple of the First Methodist Church. The ceremonies will be held Sunday, January 30. The temple adjoins the church at Taylor and Twelfth "A case, Cahill"
City Detective Hammersly faced his partner in sleuthdom, pulled his hat low and cinched his belt.

Joins the church at Taylor and Twelfth streets. The dedication sermon will be delivered in the morning and there will be no Sunday school meeting. At will be no Sunday school meeting. At night, however, another special service will be held. Throughout the week "Mrs. Cora Fish, of the Dayton Hotel, reports the mysterious disappearance of a valuable \$5 umbrella. She had it at the Lyric Theater. We must have the number of her seat."

An hour later the umbrella was returned by Detectives Hammersly and Cahill.

"Wonderful" exclaimed the owner. "How did you do it?"

"Searched the theater" replied the L. Loveland tonight, however, another special service will be held. Throughout the week following social functions given by various departments of the school will be held in the new building. One of these will be a large reception.

Closing his series of sermons on the "Fundamentals of a Successful Life," which he has been giving at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Dr. Frank

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Pair Go Into Shop and One Leaves While Partner Has Button Put On.

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police.

Two men walked into the tailor shop of Fred Rosinske, 497 Washington street, and one asked him to sew a button on his trousers.

The other man left during the process, and after both had gone Rosinske eas. and after both had gone Rosinske first of these gatherings was held last Sunday.

Japanese Held Up in Home.

S. Shloga, a Japanese truck farmer BRIDGE ACCESS IS SOUGHT living two miles from the city limits on the Base Line road, was held up Plan Is to Connect Williams Avenue

With Railroad Span.

On the Base Line road, was held up and robbed of \$1.50 last night by two highwaymen, who entered his home about 7 o'clock. The robbers were masked and armed. They ransacked much better, according to hospital reports, and will soon be able to return to her home.

TRUST" IS ACCUSED

Mr. Ferris Fears Grip on Developed Water Power.

Statistics Given in Congressional Record, However, Show Large Number of Municipal Stations and Private Plants.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU. Washington, Jan, 19.—In the debate in the House on the Ferris water-power bill, Mr. Ferris, author of the Administration bill, laid great stress on what he alleged to be the fact that the "water-power trust" controlled most of the developed water powers in the United States. This "water-power trust" has always been one of the favorite hugaboos of the conservationists, when insisting on the passage of the Ferria bill, and to show that there is a given to be sufficiently of the conservationists, when insisting on the passage of the Ferria bill, and to show that there is a given to be sufficiently of the conservationists, when insisting on the passage of the Ferria bill, and to show that there is a given to be sufficiently of the conservational Record, an extensive table, showing ownership of power plants in every state of the Union.

Mr. Ferris found 101 hydro-electric plants in Oregon, generating, in the aggregate 156,763 horsepower. His labulation shows these 101 plants to be owned by 72 separate companies, municipalities, or individual concerns. The greatest monopoly in Oregon, according to Mr. Ferris, appears to be E. W. Clark & Co. Mortgage Corporation, which owns 11 plants, with an aggregate output of \$6,000 horsepower, But Mr. Ferris also found 12 plants owned or operated by municipalities, and \$3 small plants, with an aggregate output of \$6,000 horsepower, But Mr. Ferris also found 12 plants owned or operated by municipalities, and \$3 small plants, with an aggregate output of \$6,832 horsepower, the ownership of which he did not enumerate. The following tables, taken from Mr. Ferris' speech, show the ownership of power plants in the Northwestern states: Oregon Piants powers
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Pederal Light & Traction Co.
Washington Oregon Corporation
Municipal stations
All other stations 221,174

MISSION WORKERS Dr. G. L. Pearson and Dr. H. B.

Dr. G. L. Pearson and Dr. H. B. Johnon, connected with the missionary

Johnson Arrive From South.

Washingtno Class Sermon Is Today.

At the invitation of Washington High School, Rev. John H. Boyd, D. D., will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the midwinter graduating class, this morning at 10:20 o'clock in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian Church. The subject of his sermon will be "Twenty Years Hence in the Life of a High School Student."

Mrs. A. G. Barker Convalescing.



Announces that on account of the condemnation by the Local Censor Board of Theda Bara in "The Serpent," We will show

Florence Reed In George Scarborough's Great Play

Which was billed to appear at a later date

4 Days Beginning Today