

MRS. BLUMAUER OUT FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Announcement Made at Luncheon Given by Presidents of Women's Clubs of City.

FITNESS IS EMPHASIZED

Candidate Says No Pre-Election Pledges Will Be Made but Needs of Community Have Been Studied Constantly.

Sponsored by prominent clubwomen of the city, the candidacy of Mrs. S. M. Blumauer for School Director to succeed Judge M. G. Munly, chairman of the Board of Education, who retires from service next June, was announced yesterday at a luncheon given at the Imperial Hotel.

"I prefer rather to be growing director than one who binds himself to a fixed platform," said Mrs. Blumauer.

"My work as head of the educational committee of the Portland Women's Club has put me in close touch with school work, and I am quite familiar with the needs of the city. I have visited many of the schools of late and hope before the election to have visited every one."

A number of clubwomen rose to speak in favor of Mrs. Blumauer's candidacy. Mrs. Grace Watt was one of the enthusiastic advocates of her candidacy.

"I have been in the school system for 11 years, and from the school when I was a child. School work has always interested her. A source of her inspiration along these lines, she says, was Miss Ella Sablin, who has been her friend and whom she worked with when Miss Sablin was city school superintendent.

BOY'S BODY BROUGHT HOME

Daniel, Son of E. E. Heckbert, to Be Buried Today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Heckbert have arrived home from Boston, Mass., with the remains of their son Daniel, two weeks ago when he died at that time and was suffering from a tumor at the base of his brain.

YEAR'S FAILURES HEAVY

Bradstreet Report, Just Issued, Lays Blame Largely to War.

"Failures and Their Causes" is the title of a brochure just issued by the Bradstreet Company, which is a compilation of statistics as regards failures and an analysis of their meaning.

War Material Minerals Sought

ROSEBURG, Or., Feb. 19.—(Special.) F. T. Hamshaw, of Seattle, has arrived in Roseburg preparatory to a search for antimony and tungsten, which are used in the preparation of war materials.

EMMY DESTINN WINS SAN FRANCISCO WITH ARIAS

Great Prima Donna, Soon Due in Portland, Is Accorded Splendid Ovation in California After Singing First Concert.



MME. EMMY DESTINN.

"Destinn success overwhelming. Every number double encored. Crowds waited outside and cheered as she entered taxi. You can safely promise your clientele the sensational success of the season."

Such was the telegram received by Steers & Coman announcing the result of Emmy Destinn's first appearance in San Francisco, on which occasion she gave the same programme that she will give at the Hellig in this city February 28.

FUNERAL IS TOMORROW

SERVICES WILL BE HELD FOR ROBERT O. COLLIS.

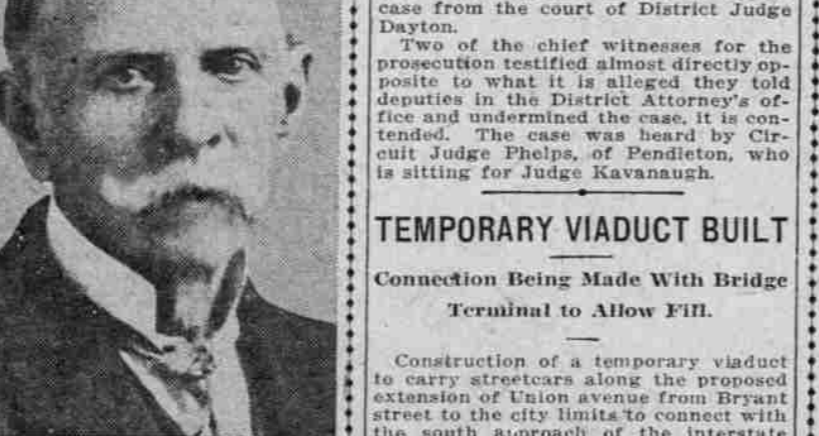
Noted Scientific Worker and Sporting Goods Manufacturer Succumbs at Age of 75.

The funeral of Robert O. Collis, who died at the home of his son, E. H. Collis, February 9, will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock from the home of E. H. Collis, 254 East Thirty-fifth street.

Mr. Collis was 75 years of age and had been a resident of this city for 28 years. Born in Ohio near the old town of Marietta, Mr. Collis spent many years of his life in his native state, part of the time being engaged in the manufacture of sportsmen's leather goods at Cincinnati.

Although gaining his livelihood in various manufacturing pursuits, Mr. Collis was a scientific turn of mind, archaeology and paleontology being with him favorites. He was one of the founders of the Madisonville Literary and Scientific Society, whose explorations in the ruins of the ancient mound, the Smithsonian Institute and the Peabody Museum being also interested in the work. His collection is now in the possession of the Cincinnati Art Museum.

The father of Mr. Collis was an English school teacher and had at one time as one of his pupils "Dick" Yates, who afterwards became "War Governor" of Illinois. A manuscript, the



Robert O. Collis, Whose Funeral Will Be Held Tomorrow.

letter written by Governor Yates to Mr. Collis in 1869, when Mr. Yates was a member of the United States Senate, is still in the possession of E. H. Collis, the son. It was Governor Yates who commissioned Grant as an officer of the Union Army.

The mother of Mr. Collis came of New England stock, a number of the ancestors having served as Governors of Connecticut.

CORN CLUB SUCCESS

O. A. C. Extension Officials Report on Oregon Plan.

PIG-CLUB MOVE GROWS

To Instill Into Minds of Youth Love for Animals and Bring About More Interest in Farm Life Is Object of Plan.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Feb. 19.—(Special.)—Corn clubs have been in progress since among the boys and girls of Oregon, according to extension officials at the Oregon Agricultural College.

Interest in the pig-club movement is rapidly increasing, says L. J. Allen, recently appointed State Pig Club agent by the United States Bureau of Animal Industry and the Oregon Agricultural College co-operating. The work was before the appointment of Mr. Allen, a part of the general industrial club work, but now requires the entire time of pig-club agents.

Arrangements have been made whereby every pig-club member receives free his choice of a standard swine journal and also all Government bulletins on the swine industry.

"The main object of the work," said Mr. Allen, "is to instill in the boys and girls of Oregon while young a love for animals which will result in their taking more interest in farm life and to furnish them at the same time some work which will give them practical knowledge according to general directions given out by the pig-club agent. Aid is given in the obtaining of good foundation breeding stock of good stock pigs."

Marketing problems are taken up in season and the demands of the Oregon markets are explained to the young farmers.

NEW GLEE CLUB IS FORMED

Irish-American Organization to Give Concert Tomorrow.

Under the name of the "Irish-American Glee Club," a large number of musically-inclined young men of Portland have united together for the preservation and revival of old Irish songs.

The organization is composed not only of those of Irish descent but of all young men who have vocal ability and who acknowledge the beauty and value of Irish melodies and patriotic airs. A large number of nationalities are included.

CITY AND COUNTY REACH COMPROMISE

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 19.—(Special.)—Yakima County officials and those of North Yakima have agreed to a compromise of the litigation to restrain the city from discharging its sewage into the Yakima River.

ALBANY STORE DAMAGED BY FIRE

ALBANY, Or., Feb. 19.—(Special.)—Whitney's confectionery store was badly damaged by fire and water late last evening when a gasoline tank on the gasoline stove in the candy kitchen exploded, setting ablaze the entire rear of the building. The loss is estimated at \$2000 and was covered by insurance.

CONTRACTOR ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

W. B. Steele, a builder and contractor, residing near Gresham, on the Section Line road, announced his candidacy yesterday for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner of Multnomah County at the primary election.

At closing time Miss Blake lingered to fold some aprons. Proprietor Griffin walked out and absent-mindedly locked the door. He boarded his car in plain sight of the cafe windows, while the waitress implored him through the plate glass. Curtain and tears.

The plot is quickened by the arrival of two patrolmen. Suggestion made that rescue may be effected through transom. Utter failure.

Youthful acquaintance hailed. He presses nose to the cold glass and bids imprisoned fair one keep courage. Curtain on cheerful situation.

Scene III is the great rescue thriller. Patrolman, zealously telephoning, awakens wrong Griffin, who emits a loud scream.

The role played by Miss Blake is a fatiguing one. She says so, and she

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NEW YORK PROSPEROUS James A. Beckett Says Pessimism Not Found. Big Hotels Are Over-Crowded and Approaching Presidential Campaign Is Not Affecting Trade.

REDMEN GET TOGETHER Portland Tribes Are Guests of Oregon City Organization. A joint meeting of the Portland tribes of Red Men and Washona tribe, of Oregon City, was held Tuesday night at the headquarters of Washona tribe.

APPLY SAGE TEA IF HAIR IS GRAY Grandma Used Sage Tea and Sulphur to Darken Her Hair and Nobody Knew.

DEATH HUNT BRINGS DOWN Woman Cancels Old Man's Debt and New World Opens to Him. In the recovery ward of the Emergency Hospital, at the police station, lies a sorely wounded old man.

Corns Come Off Like Banana Peel Wonderful, Simple "Gets-It" Never Fails to Remove Any Corn Easily.