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The burned districts were also mapped.

Farm Property Destroyed—  
Farm buildings and furnishings \$ 115,000  
Stock 20,000  
Hay and grain 45,000  
Fences 20,000  
Farm machinery and vehicles 15,000  
Orchards 20,000

Total \$ 315,000

School houses and churches 35,000  
Wagonroad bridges 7,000

Total \$ 357,000

Sawmills and Manufactured Forest Products Destroyed—

Sawmills 70,000  
Sawed lumber and shingles 25,000  
Logs on skid and at mills 25,000

Railroad ties (on skid and in roundoff of O. R. & N.) 5,000

Telephone and telephone poles (on skid) 4,000

Cardstock (ready for market) 30,000

Total \$ 349,000

Reconstruction of Losses—

Farm property, exclusive of timber \$ 315,000

Schoolhouses and churches 35,000

Bridges 7,000

Sawmills and manufactured forest products 149,000

Timber 2,490,000

Total \$ 2,955,000

## CHURCHES

**PRESTBYTERIAN**—Morning theme: "The Message of Christmas." Evening: "The Blue Flower."

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**—Rev. L. E. Rockwell, D. D., will preach both morning and evening. Communion in the evening.

**FINISH LUTHERAN**—East Astoria—There will be held a service in the English language in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Special music. Rev. Oscar Ostrom will preach.

**FIRST LUTHERAN**—East Astoria—Rev. Oscar Ostrom, pastor. Only the morning service will take place. Sunday school at the usual hour. On Christmas day the customary early service will be held at 7:30 in the morning.

ing. Sunday school Christmas celebration Friday evening at 7 o'clock. All are welcome.

**GRACE CHURCH**—Divine services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:30 m. Evening service at Holy Innocents' chapel, East Astoria, at 4:30 p. m.

**NORWEGIAN-DANISH**—Methodist—The pastor will occupy the pulpit at both morning and evening services. Morning subject: "Spiritual Agriculture." Evening subject: "False Prophets, and How to Know Them." Sunday school 10 a. m.; song service, 7 p. m. Christmas services: Early morning service at 6 o'clock. Subject: "The Lord of the Universe Is Born." Services in the evening 7:45. Subject: "A Tour to Bethlehem." Special music at all services. Children's festival Friday evening, December 24.

## WEST WADE NOTES

Miss Horrobin has returned to her home in Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Drilling spent Wednesday in Astoria.

F. H. Mudd and family have returned to Hammond for the winter.

C. F. Lester returned from a business trip to Portland Thursday.

The Woodmen will give a social party in their hall Christmas eve.

Mrs. Halderman was doing Xmas shopping in the city on Wednesday.

The recent high tides did little or no damage to the dykes on the west side.

Mr. Rob Hill and wife of Seaside came up on Tuesday to visit friends in Warrenton.

The ladies of the Methodist church will have a tree for the Sunday school on Xmas eve.

Miss Hess will have an Xmas tree in the schoolhouse for her pupils on Wednesday afternoon.

August Erow who has been visiting old friends on the west side this week, has returned to Portland.

The mill at Warrenton has been shut down for repairs. It is expected to resume operations soon after the New year.

Herman Johnson of Hammond had a birthday on Tuesday, and in the evening entertained his friends at his home.

J. H. Peck of the Point Adams life

saving station, has resigned and will return to his old home in South Dakota.

Rev. Wm. S. Short held services in St. Thomas chapel on Wednesday evening. On Monday, the 21st of December, he will have an afternoon service of Christmas carols.

P. F. Halferty of Markham, Wash., visited the west side Wednesday. He came to look after the launching of his new boat, the "Clam." He reports everything prosperous in the clam industry on Trays harbor.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Pauline Collett is in the city from Ilwaco.

B. Van Dusen spent yesterday in Portland.

Mrs. McKensie is in Portland for a few days.

John McKinnon is in the city from Cathlamet.

T. B. Olson is in the city from Westport, Ore.

C. C. Clark was in the city yesterday from his home at Seaside.

Mrs. John Glasser of the Olney hotel was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. A. Finch returned yesterday from a visit to California.

Hugh McCormick was in the city yesterday from his home at Wise.

I. M. Jeffers was in the city yesterday from his home on the Lewis and Clark.

D. K. Warren who has been in Portland on a business trip, returned yesterday.

C. H. Callender and Mrs. Callender will leave this morning for their home in Knappton.

F. Johanson, N. Biele and Ernest Larson, all of Chinook, are registered at the Parker house.

A. A. Cook arrived in the city last night and returned to Portland on the G. N. train this morning.

P. F. Halferty arrived over from the west side yesterday and last evening took the 6:10 train for Markham, Wash.

The Misses Pearl and Lulu Estes arrived home from the McMinnville college last evening to remain until January 1.

C. C. Amos and wife arrived in the city last night from Portland and will leave for their home in Knappton this morning.

Rev. Oscar Ostrom left this morning for Svensen to officiate at the Erickson-Masten wedding to take place in the afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson.

The first quarterly conference will be held in the Methodist church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. L. E. Rockwell, D. D., will preside. All the members of the quarterly conference are urged to attend.

A. M. Kinney, a student of Washington Agricultural college, arrived home last night to spend Christmas with his people. Gus has earned quite a good football reputation this year as halfback on the freshman team.

Albert Kinney and wife of Portland came down last night to spend the holidays with Mr. Kinney's parents, Doctor and Mrs. Alfred Kinney. Mr. Kinney is a student at the North Pacific Dental college.

Miss Margaret Higgins and Miss Grace Stokes left San Francisco yesterday morning on the steamer Elder to spend the Christmas holidays at their homes in this city. Miss Higgins is attending Stanford university and Miss Stokes is a student of Berkeley.

WILL BENEFIT UNIVERSITY

RIDDLANDS, Calif., Dec. 19.—By the will of the late Mrs. Martin Adams, relict of the late Charles Kendall Adams, formerly president of the University of Wisconsin, that institution will receive a large part of the estate. The will was filed today for probate.

Robert Matthews of Rochester, N. Y., and Henry B. Ely of this city being named as executors. To Mrs. Adams' brother, John Matthews of Paterson, N. J., is left \$2000 and to a number of her relatives and friends various articles from her personal belongings.

Two valuable paintings are left to the regents of the University of Wisconsin and in addition to the books, pamphlets and magazines of the late President Adams and all the residue of the estate, the same to be applied to the fellowship fund created under the will of President Adams.

ST. LOUIS OFFICIALS MUST WEAR CONVICT STRIPES

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 19.—The joint trial of 175 former members of the house of delegates which began Tuesday, ended tonight in a verdict of guilty of bribery in connection with the passage of the suburban street railway company's bill, and each man sentenced to term of five years in the penitentiary. The defendants, after hearing the verdict, filed motions for a new trial and were released on bond.

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