OPENS TOMORROW

The Oregon Poultry association's

exhibition.

## PORTLAND TEAM TO HAVE NEW NAME

THE "BROWNS" APPEARS TO BE "HOODOO" AND AN EFFORT IS BEING MADE TO ADOPT AN-OTHER APPELLATION-SEVERAL

The suggestion having been 'made that the management should change the name of the Portland baseball team to some more suitable appellation than "Browns." The Journal respectname "Browns" has clung tenaciously to the local team for an entire Barton ...... guard .. year and it is high time that another name be applied, were it for no other reason than giving the fans something played a preliminary game with the Dalyear and it is high time that another name be applied, were it for no other Shakespearean scholars to talk about agree that there is nothing in a name, and if such is true, the Browns ought to win as many games carrying their ball and fouls were frequently called present label as if they sported another. Still Shakespeare knew but little about baseball in the Northwest, and Dallas. his poetry won't be accepted regarding

It is charged that the name "Browns" has been a "hoodoo" for many years, although the St. Louis Browns finished second in the pennant close game is looked for by the local good fortune last season

If the team is going to have its name changed, then why not adopt a sug-gestive one, such as "the Blues," or "the Specs?" Such substantial appella-tions would be full of meaning and the mere mention of either would be sufficient to inspire the most sordid person to shout himself hoarse in joyful

Another charge against the Browns Is that it possesses a discordance at variance with the tuneful melody which pervades the bleachers when the umpire's judgment is faulty, but such scord, it must be remembered, is but

harmony misunderstood.

It is true that the "Blues" would have been decidedely more appropriate for the team last season, after the re-turn journey from a California trip, that is past history. As the poet said "All future is distance which thou canst not see," and as prying into the realms of probability is a difficult task. then in order for the Browns to clearly see their way through without disaster, the only proper and consistent name to adopt would be "Specs." Then there would never be any doubt as to the author of the name, like there was regarding the person who named the

Of course there are many names that could be selected and any one having the selection in hand, would certainly have his hands full. Some one men-tioned that "knockers" might suit, but would be taking away the name of the local society, whose chief preroga-tive is embodied in the name and the incumbent duties being to support baseball in Portland. The "hoodoo" must be murdered and murdered well. Away with a name that means misfor-Cast it to the four winds and get another! Portland must have a pen-nant, and the only way to secure it is to change the name of the team. then delay? Such a thing is dangerous. The most ordinary collection of nine men would carry away the honors if they were properly named. Which shall it be, "Blues," or "Speca?"

### **IDAHO UNIVERSITY** TO HAVE NEW "GYM"

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 8 .- The plans for the new gymnasium of the Univer-sity of Idaho at Moscow have been adopted by the regents. A site has been The gymnasium will be located bour 200 feet north of the administraillding and will face due east. The building, which will be used as an ar-mory as well as for a gymnasium, will be constructed of brick. It will be three stories high and will cover 58x129 feet. he basement floor will be given up to drill rooms, company rooms, gun and ar-tillery rooms, showers, toilets, etc. The steam heating plant will also be in the In the second story will be the gym-

nasium, which will be used as a drill room in wet weather. The symnasium will be 54x701 feet. Two social rooms will occupy the west of the space on the second floor. A running track will be placed around the gymnasium 16 feet above the floor. At one end a gallery for spectators will be constructed. estimated cost of the building is \$25,000. Bids will be advertised for and

the contract let within the next four weeks. It is expected that he gymnasium will be ready for occupancy by fall.

#### MONMOTE GIRLS WIN.

Monmouth, Or., Feb. 8 .- The girls' normal school basketball team defeated the girls' team representing Albany college Saturday evening by a score of 15 to 3. The teams lined up as follows: State Normal Albany.

B. Leader ..... forward ..... Francis .....forward.... McCarthy M. Leader ..... center .... Fickland Reece ...... Bussard L. Foster.....guard...... Nanny Field goals—B. Leader, 4; M. Leader,

Leader, 1; Bussard, 3.

Goals from fouls-Hampton, 2; B, Referee-Mr. McCarthy of Albany. I'mpire-Mr. Stoan of Monmouth

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## DALLAS PLAYERS. DOWN MULTNOMAH

(Journal Special Service.)
Dallas, Or., Feb. 8.—Before an enthusiastic crowd of 500 people the wear-ers of the winged "M" from the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club of Portland went down to defeat before the Dallas college basketball team by the

Both teams played fast ball and ever good play was cheered impartially. Rasch of the Multnomah team did the best work, throwing the only field goal made by them, their other three points being made on fouls. Poling, the Dallas center, did excellent work, making three baskets from the field. The two teams lined up as follows:

concurs in the scheme and will Steadman ..... forward ...... Teats lend its aid towards effecting a change. Brandon ...... forward ..... Launer Rasch .....center..... ... Hoffmar

ias college second team, the score re-suiting 8 to 3 in favor of the college boys. Both team played rather rough Kerrigan played a good game for the club while Shaw did excellent work for

The Dallas college first team will meet the University of Washington's basketball team on their floor here on next Tuesday evening. The 'varsity team

#### FREDELL CAPTURES **COLUMBIA'S PRIZE**

The Columbia university athletes held preliminary try-out in the great gynd asium Saturday afternoon, A program of handicap events were pulled off for which a suitable prize had been offered for the best individual work. Edward M. Fredell, Columbia's crack athlete, who was scratch man in each event, had no trouble in capturing the

There were several promising young men participating in the events, who if they take proper interest in athletics, will be able to make their mark in ama-

Under the instruction of Coach Gear n. Columbia should develop a crack track team with which to compete with the other northwest 'varsities and col-

Saturday's events resulted as follows: 50-yard dash—Fredell (scratch) won, Moore (1 foot) second, Shell (2 feet) third; time, 0:5 3-5.

12-pound shot-put-Ryan (scratch) won, Roo (4 feet) second, Wiley (1 foot) time; distance, 35 feet 5 inches. 220-yard dash-Fredell (scratch) won. Moore (6 feet) second, Shell (7 % feet) third; time, 0:24 4-5.

Running high jump—Moore (2 inches) won, Shell (3 inches) second, Fredell (scratch) third; height, 4 feet 11½ 440-yard run-Fredell (scratch) won Moore (5 yards) second, Roe (5 yards) third: time, 0:56 3-5.

### FOOTBALL MANAGER MAKES HIS REPORT ALL IS HARMONY

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 8 .- Louis Fassett, manager of last year's football team, has submitted his report to the the paper contains some interesting facts about the season and lays out the plans for next year. In closing Mr. Passett says: "There has been some criticism on the management for scheduling games with Pullman and Whitman, but the facts proved that the games were the best thing for the team. Colfax has promised us a game and I have assurance of two games Cheney. I do not believe there will be any difficulty in securing games with Pullman and Whitman, and if it is possible, with Davenport, and possibly Lewiston. We should bring the Seattle high school football team here for the championship game on Thanksgiving

#### RASKETBALL GAMES.

(Journal Special Service.) Spokane, Wash., Feb. 8 .- The Y. M. C. A. basketball team will have a number of games to play during the next few weeks, and as a result a first team has been selected to represent the associa-tion. The Cheney normal school has organized a basketball team and the asso-clation five will visit that institution on February 20 for the first game played

by a normal team.

The date for the Pullman-T. M. C. A.-high school games has at last been set and the double-header will be pulled off the games of the league this season, was on February 13 at Turners' hall. The premature. While the old club has so Pullman boys will meet the association team and the college girls will meet the high school girls the same night.

The lineup of the Y. M. C. A. team for that battle will be as follows: Charles Brown, center; W. Davidson and Charles Bell, forwards; Clark Thayer and Frank Davidson, guards. The high school girls have not yet decided upon their lineup, as the team has just resumed practice and the strongest players have not yet been chosen

#### THEY TOOK HIM UP.

The subject of freak wagers, always rife just before and after an election came up a few days ago among a group of men about town, which included "Bat Masterson and one or two other sport-ing authorities. One after another ing authorities. One after another the various members of the crowd gave testimony as to the weird and idiotic bets they had witnesed. At length one of the party called on Masterson for an

experience of the sort.
"The oddest wager I ever heard of-fered." said "Bat" after a moment's thought, "was in El Paso, Texas. A cowboy who had wandered into the town on a spree drew a six-shooter and offered to bet \$1,000 he could 'crimp' five men

with six shots." "Well," asked the listeners as Masterson paused, "did any one take him up?" "O, yes,"
"Who?"

"Three deputy sheriffs," remarked "Bat" dreamily.—New York World.

COMPANY E DEFEATS BATTERY.

Company H made a garrison finish in the indoor baseball game with Battery

## MODICUM WINS **BURNS HANDICAP**

JOCKEY HILDEBRAND RIDES A SEN-SATIONAL RACE AND CAPTURES THE RICH EVENT AT INGLESIDE TRACK-THE WINNER WAS AN 8

(Journal Special Service.) Year. Winner. Age. Jockeys. 1894-\*Lisank ...... 1895-Hawthorne F. Carr 1896—Wheel of Fortune. Shaw 1897-Ruinart . ...... H. Shields 1898-Satsuma 1899-Fleur de Lis..... 1900—Imperious..... 1901—The Fretter.... Mounce 1902—Eonic ...... 4 L. Jackson 1903—Horton...... 1904—Modieum 7 ...C. Kelly 5 Hildebrand

\* Run as Spreckles Handicap. San Francisco, .eb. 8.—Jockey Hilds Modicum in winner of the Burns handi-cap. The Jennings entry, Proper, Dainty, Nigrette and Arcade, were coupled in the betting and quoted favorite at 18 to 5. Claude was second choice at\*4 to 1. Modicum, the winner, was quoted at edds of from 10 to 8 to 1.

The field was rather unwieldy and was delayed at the start. They left the post in somewhat of a jam and several horses were interfered with. Modicum took the lead and held it throughout with Carsman, Proper and Claude following in the order named until the stretch, when Proper, apparently tired, fell back, Claude coming up with a rush and beat Oarsman a neck for the place. The race was run in 2:08%.

### **BILLIARD TOURNAMENT** HANDICAPS ARRANGED

The hilliard committee of the Multne mah Amateur Athletic club has compiled a list of handicaps for the coming billiard tournament. The players them-selves are now to arrange dates for the

pany has donated a gold medal for first prize, and a silver cup for second prize. The following list of handicaps were adopted:
First class, 100 points—H. P. Goering
100 points, O. F. Godfrey 80, W. M.
Dennis 65, C. W. Zeller 65, Lansing Stout

The Brunswick-Balke-Collender com-

60, K. Fenton, 60. Second class, 75 points-H. A. Weis, C. S. Barton, O. Kerrigan, George W. Wilson, C. E. McDonell, P. E. Brigham, 75

points. Third class, 60 points—George S. Brackett 55 points, T. M. Dunne 50 points, S. L. Banks 50 points, A. B. Gritzmacher 50 points, A. C. Newell 50 points F. E. Ford 60 points.

F. E. Ford 60 points.

Fourth class, 50 points.—C. A. Shea.

H. S. Mason, R. DeV. Johnson, George C. Nichols, A. E. Kerrigan, 50 points. Fifth class, 50 points—H. T. Hudson, J. R. Rogers, W. L. Paterson, R. P. Knight, R. L. Miller, 50 points.

All factional differences in Multnomah team, has submitted his report to the club circles have disappeared, the oppo-High School Athletic association and sition having withdrawn its horns and all will be harmony in the matter of choosing the officers and board of directors for the ensuing year.

After due deliberation the nominating

committee decided upon President R. F. Prael, Dan J. Moore, Charles W. Stinger, J. C. Veazie and C. W. Swigert as holdover members of the board, and the new members selected are as follows: A. O. Jones, D. T. Honeyman, T. M. Dunne, H. W. Kerrigan, W. A. Robb and E. H. Habighorst. All the new selections are of the younger element except Habighorst, and are all active members and participants in some of the club's events. OUTLOOK IS BRIGHT.

Gournal Special Service.)
Salem, Feb. 8.—President P. H. Sroat of the Oregon Baseball league, recently Valley league, has returned from Vancouver and Oregon City, where he took

preliminary steps to secure the teams of those two cities for membership in the league. He is enthusiastic regarding the outlook for the season's baseball, and says that there is now no question as to the fact that the league will have six teams to compete for the trophy to be hung up. He states that the report sent out from Albany, that the team there would not take part in decided, a new club is being formed and is meeting with encouragement, and a good team will be organized in Albany to play in the league this season. Last year Albany had a good club in the league, and the players won the admiration of all the fans throughout the valley for their gentlemanly behavior, and in Salem it is earnestly hoped that Albany will again be represented in the season's games, and that many of last year's players will participate.

#### HATTEN MATCHED WITH CLARK.

Kid Hatten of East Portland matched to fight Jack Clark of Montana 20 rounds at 145 pounds on February

## WEDS A COUPLE

At the close of the celebration of the 25th anniversary of his ordination at the chapel of the most Precious Blood, Mt. Tabor, yesterday, Rev. L. A. Brosseau married Arthur Huber and Catherine H.

The chapel, which was beautifully decorated, was crowded beyond its seating capacity. Rev. Father J. H. Black of St. Francis church assisted as deacon and Father E. Bella as sub-deacon at the morning mass. The sisters of the Precious Blood ren-

dered Leonard's mass in b flat. The solemn benediction was given to a large audience at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Portland Hotel Pharmacy.

A Saturday evening by winning out in the ninth inning after the artillerists had tled the score in their half. The score by innings:

Battery A......0 0 0 2 1 4 0 0 1—8

Company H.....3 0 2 0 0 0 2 1 1—9

Company Company Company H.....3 0 2 0 0 0 2 1 1—9

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# TODAY'S SPORTING GOSSIP **POULTRY EXHIBIT**

HARRY GURE SUBMITS REPORT OF A. P. OF L. CONVENTION-TOTAL COST OF STRIKES DURING PAST YEAR AMOUNTED TO MEARLY \$3,000,000-SOCIALISM DEFEATED.

hibit will open tomorrow at First and The following extracts are taken from report made last Friday night to the ederated Trades Council by Harry Main streets, under the most favorable auspices. Already a large number of the birds are being installed in the neat Federated Trades Council by Harry Gurr, who was sent as a delegate to atbooths assigned them. By the opening hour tomorrow there is expected to be over 1,000 fine specimens of poultry on tend the international convention of the American Federation of Labor held at

It is with pardonable pride that

submit my report for the past fiscal year. In every particular it surpasses

breeds of domestic fowls raised, in this Bantams will also be well represented, ranging in size from a diminutive cock which tips the scales at the magnificent weight of nine ounces to one that car-ries the net averdupois of 21 ounces in his travels.

The birds comprise all the vario

The cats are not to be exhibited be-fore Thursday, owing to the limited space, and large numbers of exhibits to be judged.

For the first time in the history of poultry exhibits in the west, a delegate from the American Poultry association has been chosen to officiate as judge of the local show.

Mr. Charles McClave of New London brand made another record Saturday, Ohio, president of the American Poul-Besides winning two other races and try association, has been chosen as landing second in a third, he piloted judge, and a successful show is as-

#### EASTERN OREGON RAILWAY INTERESTS

Baker City, Or., Feb. 8. - President David Eccles of the Sumpter Valley railroad, who is just here from Utah Hood River, where he has large business interests, when asked by a reporter what he intended to do this season in the way of extensions of the road into the John Day country, Canyon City and Burns, said:

"I never do any talking until I am ready to act. We do not believe in giving the public a lot of hot air about what may or may not be done. It is my firm belief, from the investigation we have already made, that the country south and west of Whitney, including the valleys in which are situated Prairie City, Canyon City and Burns, is very rich in natural resources of all kinds, and would pay well to develop for a transportation line; at least, it would seem that the country would support a road in a few years. The further ex-tension of our road will depend somewhat upon circumstances and the ar rangements we can make with connect ing lines for the exchange of business." From one who is close to headquar ters it is learned that the Sumpter Valley people have contemplated building about 110 miles of extension this year. It is known that they have most of the

material on hand and have the equipment here with which to operate the extended road. The revolution in traffic matter that would occur with the completion of this extension is apparent to the most casual observer. A vast empire to the southwest of Baker City only awaits transportation facilities to make it one of the richest countries in the world from every viewpoint. Mines, day, and

extent by a railroad. Mohler of the O. R. & N Co., and it is fair to presume that the two presidents will arrive at some understanding as to the interchange of business in south-eastern Oregon via Baker City. The public has confidence that the people who opened up the mining camps contiguous to Sumpter and put a large timber field in the market will carry on the good work and in the near future add the rich John Day and Harney countles as contributors to the world's

markets. Sawmills Humming. At the big plant of the Oregon Lum-per company at South Baker everything is humming with the preparations for spring, which is fast approaching. The sawmill has been closed down for a month for annual repairs, and when it opens about March 1 every wheel and cog in all the vast machinery will be in first-class condition. The big bollers have been thoroughly cleansed, the engines repaired, buildings improved and repaired, yards and dry kilns rearranged and put imorder for the new stocks. A large force of men are giving all their time to this work, and when the opening of the mill occurs 100,000 feet of lumber

will be turned out every day.
In the meantime the cured stocks of being received for next season's deliv-ery of lumber and box shooks.

Baker City is fortunate in having more than one such manufacturing and it can be stated that the mill of Stoddard Bros., with a capacity of about 50,000 feet of lumber a day, is also undergoing the annual repairs and will be in first-class condition at the opening of the season. The payrolls of these two concerns make an appreciable factor in the daily business of Baker

#### SECOND WARD ORGANIZES.

At a meeting held in the Sherlock building last Saturday night Mitchell Republicans of the Second ward per-fected an organization. Guy G. Willis was elected ward captain, and precinct captains were selected as follows: Frank Klernan, Fourth precinct; Alex Keegan, Fifth precinct; Maurice Rein-stein, Sixth precinct; F. P. Mays, Seventh precinct, and C. A. Burkhardt Eighth precinct.

Jackson, J. Fuller, James Sutton, H. Oberg, M. Malarkey, W. J. McGinnis, J. E. Young, W. Bailey, C. A. Burkhardt F. Patterson, Frank Kiernan, S. B. Schwab, A. L. Pease, Phil Metschan, David Fuller, A. H. Tanner, Dr. James Zan, W. H. Patterson, Herbert Holman Maurice Reinstein, Alex Keegan, Jordan AT HIS JUBILEE Zan, William Taylor, G. G. Willis, D. J. Malarkey, Sanderson Reed, John Gill, Sig Sichel and F. P. Mays.

#### A Great Store. Few people in Portland know that in

albina there is a store that covers 27,-000 feet of floor space and carries 25 different lines of goods. Well, there is, and it is Kennard & Adams, the universal providers, on Williams avenue, Albina, who speak to the readers of The Journal today, making a bid for their trade. The claims they make are very strong in their argument, and combined with their offer to pay the car fare of anyone who will take the time to make their store a visit, should prove a drawing card to all Portland buyers. this week. It affords a chance to visit had refused to do. "We use all neces-Albana and this big department store, sary precaution in setting off blasts," he free, and it is a visit worth your time to make. Read the ad and show your loyalty to The Journal by at least visit-ing Kennard & Adams, the king of mer-

all previous records. The increase in membership for the past 12 months reached 440,800, a gain of nearly 50 per cent. The gain has been so un-usual that it has led some to believe that the wage workers are being organ-ized too rapidly. A careful reading of the reports which have been given will disclose the fact that the increase has been distributed among 113 inter-national unions and the focal unions di-rectly affiliated with the American Eederation of Labor. The international Eederation of Labor. The international organizations and the American Federation of Labor are in a better condition to protect their members than they have been in the past. The affiliated organization of the American Federation of Labor reported and paid upon 1,745,270 members for the month of September. The average membership for the 12 months ending September 20, was 1,465, as against 1,025,300 last year and 265,500 in 1897. Charters were granted 265,300 in 1897. Charters were granted during the year to 26 national and international unions, three state federations, and 167 city central bodies. An almost complete report from the secretaries of our international unions furnish us with the information that there has been is-sued during the past year 7,385 charters and 1,807 charters surrendered. Seven hundred and sixty-four of the charters surrendered were locals of international unions, and 1,043 affiliated direct with the American Federation of Labor. Of the latter number 465 were suspended for non-payment of per capita tax, 470 joined international unions of their craft and calling and six were revoked. Full and complete reports have been re-ceived from almost every international union and from 358 local unions, which show that there were 1,620 strikes, in which there were 213,780 members involved. Of that number, 157,759 were benefited and 10,754 not benefited. The total cost of strikes reported was \$2,768,311.98. Reports from 114 international unions show there was a total gain in membership of 495,495, of which number 15,000 is contained in the local trade and federal labor unions, chartered direct by the American Federation of Labor. The total cost of the 68 organizers employed by the American Federation of Labor for the 12 months

ending September 30 was \$68,000, as against \$28,186 during the 11 months of Among the resolutions adopted at the convention, which are of more or less importance to this western part of the

country, was the following: Whereas, The miners and the smelter Whereas, The American Federation of

can only be developed to their fullest Labor is solicitous for the welfare and happiness of all workers, regardless of While in Portland, Mr. Eccles will their focation, trade or affiliation, and is deeply interested in the successful prosecution and termination of the strike of the miners, therefore be it Resolved, That the American Federa-

tion of Labor in annual convention assembled tender to the Western Federa tion of Miners its sympathy and its best wishes for the success of the movement to establish an eight-hour work day, and be it further

Resolved. That the executive council be instructed to issue a circular to all affiliated unions calling attention to the struggle and to the requirements of the Western Federation of Miners, asking for assistance, the funds resulting therefrom to be sent to the officers of the Western Eederation of Miners to be used for the purpose of assisting in prosecuting to a successful issue the strike for an eight-hour work day. Resolved, That the executive council place the sum of \$1,000 at the disposal

of the Western Federation of Miners at

I will say that while the resolution carried, your delegate went on record as voting against the appropriation of the money, not because I was opposed to the miners, but because there were so many unions applying for help that are affiliated with the American Federation lumber from last season's cutting are of Labor and were refused; and I being shipped to the east and orders are thought that charity began at home. I will also state that there were 28 resolutions presented to the convention asking for organizers. They were all referred to the executive council to use their best judgment as to where to place

> The question of indorsing Socialistic principles occupied the largest part of two days of the convention and the arguments advanced from both sides were listened to with great attention by the delegates as well as a large crowd of spectators, who filled the galleries of old Fancuil hall. Ten resolutions had been presented to the convention touching upon the question, each of them being referred to the committee on reso lutions. This committee, in order to save time, bunched the resolutions and reported adversely on all, and then the fight was on. After full discussion the vote was taken on a motion to concur, and resulted as follows. For, 11,282; against, 2,147. The report of the committees was adopted and Socialism was laid to rest so far as the American Federation of Labor was concerned; and I must say that your delegate has returned more convinced than ever that Socialism has no place in the trades union movement any more than any other political party.

### PEACE COMPACT WITH BLASTERS

The owners of the rock quarry at Sixth and Sheridan streets, against which a delegation of near by residents complained to Mayor Williams last week, have been notified to remedy the evils complained of and have promised to comply with the statutes regulating the use of explosives within the city limits. The neighbors complained that blasts broke windows in their hor In reply to City Engineer Elliott's orders, however, Contractor J. Sweeney declared that the complaint was a scheme to compel him to purchase a house that stands near the quarry and which he

The ordinance requires a bond of \$1, 000, to be renewed each year, from all firms using powder for blasting purposes within the municipal boundary.

### **BOYS AND GIRLS** PATRONIZE LIBRARY

Saturday morning is always a busy day for Librarian Hassler of the children's room of the public library Scores of rosy-cheeked school boys and girls flocked into the room today ex-changing books, but Miss Hassler found time today to explain the "technical" part of the loan system among the chil-

"Each book has a certain number, she remarked, "which we enter on the child's card and which allows see at a glance just what line of books the reader has been taking up. Some boys go in for indian atories and excit-ing books of adventure. Others are of a mechanical turn of mind and others seek history. The smaller girls want fairy tales and the older ones desire stories of boarding school life. Cadet Days at West Point and stories of the naval academy are in great demand by

"We do not try to influence the children in their reading, except when we think a boy is getting a little too much Indian we sometimes suggest books along a different line. One thing is no-ticeable—the percentage of fiction reading is falling off among the children as among the older persons, which shows that books among the young are not being taken out entirely for recrea-tion or restful reading, but for instruction and practical purposes as well."

Last Friday evening Miss Hassler visited the Boys' and Girls' Aid society and told stories to the children. "There were about 40 boys and girls in the room," she said, "and I was pleased by their manner. All seemed much interested and I noticed the number of bright, intelligent faces among them. If possible I shall visit the home every Friday evening."

POURTE STREET TICKET OFFICE

The Southern Pacific ticket office formerly located at Fourth and Stark streets, has been moved to Fourth and Yamhill streets. Tickets will be sold and all west side trains stop at that point.



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