The divorce secured last Thursday at Astoria by Mrs. Elsen F. Parker is declared by her attorney, John F. Logan, to be one of the quickest on record. Just 10 minutes elapsed between the filing of the complaint in the circuit court and the rendering of the decree by Judge Mc-Bride. E. F. Parker, the defendant in the proceedings, is the proprietor of the Parker house at Astoria. His wife sued for divorce on the ground of desertion. Before the complaint was filed the husband and wife reached an agreement whereby he was to turn over to her a considerable part of his property and to offer no opposition to the divorce. These terms were agreed upon at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, 10 minutes sufficed to draw the complaint and reach the courthouse, and 10 minutes later the decree of divorce had been entered. Parker appeared in court, so that the serwice of summons was rendered unnecessary.

The W. C. T. U. of University Park held a parior meeting Friday evening at the residence of Mr. Coon. Excellent addresses were delivered by W. J. Peddicord, Mr. Coon and Mr. Dotson, their general theme being "Law and Order." The enforcement of the curfew law was discussed and several musical numbers were given by Mrs. Price, Mrs. E. L. Lane and D. B. Morgan.

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A large party of Raymond & Whitcomb excursionists arrived in the city last night and registered at the Portland. They will spend the day looking over the fair grounds and other points of interest, with a boat ride on the river in prospect. The visitors are from various points in New England, Illinois and Missouri.

Woods, \$1; Charles Duggan, 7.

Steamer "Nome City" for Ban Francisco direct salls from Couch street dock Monday, March 20, st 6 p. m. Fare, \$12 cabin. \$8 second-class, meals and berth included. F. P. Baumgartner, agent. Main \$61.

Lost—Black Cocket spaniel, female; 4 months old; answers to the name of Portland. Her name is Mrs. W. J. Elliott. It used to be Miss O'Bryant, who day: reward for her recovery. 657

Former residents of Wisconsin and members of the old Badger society are requested to attend a meeting to be held in Eiks' hall, in the Marquam building, Wednesday evening, March 22, at \$ o'clock. A large and enthusiastic gathering is expected. Let no Wisconsinite fail to attend.

Steamship Roanoke, 2,400 tons, sails for San Francisco, Los Angeles, Coos Bay and Eureka. March 21, 7 p. m., from Columbia dock No. 1. Round trip—Los Angeles, \$42.50; San Francisco, \$25.50. Ticket office 251 Washington street. Harry Young, agent

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Charles Alieky, a local United States immigration agent, returned yesterday from New York. This was the first time he had ever been off the Pacific coast. He states that he only saw one fault with the metropolls—it has no Lewis and Clark fair advertising matter on exhibition. During his stay of three days there he never heard the fair mentioned, and he thinks the total content of the people of that city concerning the great sevent. He declares that the people of that city concerning the great sevent. He declares that the people of that city concerning the great sevent. He declares that the people of that city concerning the great sevent. He declares that the people of that city concerning the great sevent. He declares that the people of that city concerning the great sevent. The declares that the people of that city concerning the great sevent. The declares that the people of that city concerning the great sevent. The declares that the people of the active of the fair.

Mrs. Mary Osborh Douthit today placed there contract with Anderson. Dunitys? Publishing company for 10,000 copies of Squrenin of Western Momen. This is a compilation, collected by Mrs. Douthit of writings from many of the leading women of the Pacific coast, and includes stories, soogs, poems and two declares and two colored plates of Mount Rainier and crarle lake. The book will be out on May 1, and Mrs. Douthit espects to find ready of the server and Wholessale Liquor bearing the property of the fair.

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held under the auspices of the Michael Davitt branch of the United Irish league of Portland, to raise money for the home rule fund. The care, which is very valuable, is on exhibition at Woodard, Clarke & Co.'s store. Each ballot costs the purchaser 10 cents. The result of the contest to date follows: Dan McAllen, 176: Lawrence Shanahan, 155; John Manning, 116; M. J. Malley, 100; John E. Woods, 81; Charles Duggan, 7.

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Ernest Thompson Seton—4 o'clock matinee tomorrow at the Marquam Grand. Admission 25 cents to all. In the evening at 3 o'clock. Prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Sunday trolley trip to Estacada, round trip 75 cents. Hotel now open. Cars every two hours from First and Alder streets.

Kansas Society — Charter member— Gentlemen and ladies meet your friends. See R. W. Traver, organizer, at 233 Washington street.

Go to Estacada for your Sunday out-ing. Round-trip rate 75 cents. Phone Exchange 47 for departure of cars.

Portland will soon be the mecca for Woodmen of the World who will gather to take part in the initiatory services March 27, when nearly 1,000 candidates will be made members of the order. Approximately 1.000 candidates have been secured as the result of the campaign that has been under way for several



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### DAUGHTER OF FIRST MAYOR ON THE STAGE

Mrs. W. J. Elliott, Nee O'Bryant, to Appear in Vaudeville at Baker.

In the vaudeville team of vocalists ind harpists known as the Elliotts, which will appear at the Baker theatre



The Elliotts have been very successful in vaudeville in the eastern cities, and will probably create a splendid impression here. Mr. Elliott has been in Portland for two weeks making preparations for their appearance before the local public.

**Doctor Comparative Medicine** Dr. C. E. Brown, the well known veterinarian, of 287 Burnside, in con-nection with his advertisement, which will be found in our classified columns, adds to his many degrees, D. C. M. As adds to his many degrees, D. C. M. As the abbreviation may need some explanation, our readers will be pleased to learn that the same signifies Doctor of Comparative Medicine. It is a well established fact that horses and dogs, from an anatomical and physiological standpoint, compare closely with the human family and therefore a close knowledge of comparative medicine is essential in the proper treatment of the above animals. Hence Doctor Brown has taken the above course of studies, which entities him to the degree of D. C. M. Dr. Brown is a skillful and successful veterinary surgeon and is justly entitled to the large practice with which he is surrounded.

R. M. Mack and J. W. Milne of Hillsboro are registered at the Perkins.

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that has been under way for several months.

The exercises were to have occurred a month ago, but were postponed because of the death of F. A. Falkenburg. In the celebration will consist of parades, banquets and entertainments.

From every town and hamlet in Oregon, and indeed from the whole northwest, Woodmen will come to Portland on that date. Members and those to be initiated will be accompanied by their families, and the city will be filled with an absence of the corporation of the parties, 205 Washington, near Fifth.

Mr. Dellar has had extensive improvements improvements made to this property, and to make everything harmonious will carry morthing but a first-class line of men's and boys ciothing and furnishings and they ciothing and furnishings and a general line of shoes, of course. Mr. Dellar announces that he will treat his patrons with all possible courtesy and they will enjoy the same reasonable was incorporated yesterday by Phil 8. Bates, W. D. B. Dodson and A. H. Willington, near Fifth.

The Calumet, 149 Seventh street, near Morrison, serves an exceptionally fine dinner on Bundays. Fifty cents.

Pacific Miner Publishing company was incorporated yesterday by Phil 8. Bates, W. D. B. Dodson and A. H. Willington, near Fifth.

The O. R. & N. Co. Will Not Obstruct Irrigation Plans in Washington.

SURVEYS FIGURE ON LINE THROUGH COULEE

Manager Worthington Expects if Track is Moved Company Will Be Reimbursed.

Civil engineers, sent out by the general manager of the Harriman lines in Oregon, have made a survey, and verified an estimate of cost of a proposed change of the route of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company's line through the Washtuena coulee in southeastern Washington. Their work has given rise to a rumor that the company is planning to make the change, in order that a reservoir may be constructed in the coulee by the government reclamation bureau, which has figured on the irrigating of about 300,000 acres of arid land in that part of the state.

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Manager E. A. Worthington, who has just returned from a trip of inspection over the Washington lines of the company, states that he is not advised of any intention on the part of the company to depart from the policy outlined by his predecessor. E. E. Calvin, regarding the proposition to move the O. R. & N. company's tracks to the other side of the coulee. Personally he does not intend to modify the company's position in the matter.

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"We are not obstructionists, and will accede to the government's wishes in the matter if the matter if an accessing the company would be put to in making the change of route," he said. "But we do not feel that it is reasonable to ask the company to expend \$330,000, without any return for the money. I think there is approximately 18 miles of the track that would have to be taken out, and a new route provided on the other side of the coules. We would be perfectly willing for the government to do they work, and place our tracks in a position that would give us facilities equally as good as we now have there, and provide some means by which connection with the railroad if located on the other side of the proposed reservoir."

In short, the railway company is willing to change the tracks and establish the ferry if the government will contract to reimburse it for the actual outlay of money, or it is willing that the government shall do the work. It is said in other quarters that Chief Englement Newell of the reclamation service was disposed to be arbitrary in death of the said in other quarters that Chief Englement Newell of the reclamation service was disposed to be arbitrary in death of the said in other quarters that Chief Englement Newell of the reclamation service was disposed to be arbitrary in death of the country tributary to the O. R. & N. these. It is believed that with diplomatic handling a compromise might be reached by which both sides would see the advantage in carrying forward the proposed irrigation scheme.

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### KIMBALL TO LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Edward A. Kimball, C. S. D., mer Scientist, Boston, will lecture in Port-land under the auspices of the Chris-tian Science churches of this city, Sun-day evening, April 2, at the Marquam

theatre.

Mr. Kimball is a personal student and close friend of Rev. Mary Baker Eldy, founder and leader of Christian Science, and has been prominently identified with the movement as practitioner, teacher and lecturer for a number of years. He is therefore weil qualified, by reason of his wide experience, to speak with no uncertain understanding upon the subject he presents.

R. M. Mack and J. W. Milne of Hills-poro are registered at the Perkins. Miss Chisholm of Seattle is a guest at the Imperial, Mr. and Mrs. Edson M. Rowley of Van-

conver, Wash., are guests at the Imperial. Chester A. Inskeep and Miss Bessie Inskeep of McMinnville are guests at the Perkins. State Fish Warden H. G. Van Dusen of Astoria is registered at the Impe-

Mrs. William Dutcher and daughter, of R. W. Jones of McMinnville is at the

Perkins.

Dr. George E. Coghill of Pacific university is registered at the Imperial.

W. H. Davis of Albany is at the Imperial.

perial.

Robert Young of Tacoma is a guest at the Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Mottel of Tacoma are in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Eckstein of Seattle are guests at the Portland hotel.

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new building on Seventh and Stark streets, are tireless in their efforts to make it one of the greatest events yet attempted in Portland. It is estimated that fully \$20,000 worth of valuable articles will be disposed of, from planes, articles will be disposed of, from pianos, buggles and cases of silverware, to a barrel of apples. Among the hundreds of beautiful dolls is one valued at over \$500. This, doll is five feet high, is dressed as a bride and is in a bridal home fitted up with electric lights.

Architects are at work on plans for booths, which promise to excel in design and originality any ever seen at any fair. Two life memberships are to be voted for to be presented to the Elks receiving the highest number of votes. Special preparations are being made for the entertainment of, the patrons. Mothers can have their babies checked. A popular price will be checked. A popular price will be charged and two matinees are to be given, on Wednesday and Saturday.

Dr. Brougher's topics today at the White Temple: Morning, "The King's Business"; night, "Standing Pat, or Showing the White Feather." Baptism and special music.

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Spending Huge Sums in Preparation for City's Growth After the Fair.

It is said the Portland General Electric company is investing a sum aggregating more than \$300,000 in improvements and enlargements in preparation for the Lewis and Clark fair.

"I do not believe all the sayings about grasping corporations are justified," said S. G. Reed, treasurer of the company. "Since the inception of the fair the Portland General Electric company has invested, as a result of that enterprise, more money than the state of Oregon has invested in the fair. Of course, we expect that the equipment will be put to profitable service after the fair, but the investment proves the confidence the company feels in the future growth of Portland."

A franchise has been asked by the company for use of the public highways in Clackamas county for conveying electric current from Oregon City to Aurora, and franchises will be asked for similar use of highways in other directions and as far south as Salem. The company will build another generating plant on the east side of the river at Willamette falls, and extend its lighting and power service to a number of cities in the Willamette valley. The work of construction will be commenced during the low-water season in midsummer. The new plant will start with 10,500 horsepower, and will be planned so that additional units can be installed as fast as needed.

The Y. M. C. A. Glee Club.

The Y. M. C. A. Glee Club. Will be assisted by Miss Ruth Eddings of Oberlin and Mr. George Lester Paul of the Western Academy of Music and Elocution in a concert to be given in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Tuesday, March 21, at \$:15 p. m. The members of the club have been preparing for the past six months to give a concert and now feel they can offer something good to the public. Adults, 25c and 35c; children, 15c and 25c.

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