DR. VAN WATERS HAS RESIGNED

St. David's Episcopal Church Will Consider at Special Meeting Tonight.

Dr. George B. Van Waters, for the past 18 years the pastor of St. David's Episcopal church, has tendered his resignation to the vestry of the church and it will be considered at a special meeting of the vestry tonight.

Back of the resignation of Dr. Van

Rev. George B. Van Waters, D. D.

Waters is a story of long years of faithful work for the upbuilding of the parish of St. David's, of financial aid given by the pastor to the church and of lack of harmony among the laity and lack of support.

Dr. Van Waters since taking his place as pastor of St. David's, has done much to make it one of the large parishes of the city. Possessed of some means, he gave liberally to aid in carrying on the work of the church, and it was largely through his influence and effort and the aid of friends of his that the parish was able to construct and equip the imposing edifice now used by the congregation.

Salary Not Fully Paid.

During all of this time the church has not been financially prosperous. Last year Dr. Van Waters received only one third, approximately, of his salary, and for some time he has worked under the plan that he would accept from the parish what had been left after the expenses were paid. This remainder has always been much under the stipulated salary which the pastor should have received.

Last July Dr. Collins was brought to St. David's as an assistant for Dr. Van Waters, and at this time the pastor agreed to guarantee Dr. Collins $85 a month for three months. If this sum could be accumulated after the expenses of the parish were paid, well and good, but if not Dr. Van Waters was to see to it that the sum reached the assistant. In the meantime Dr. Van Waters was to receive nothing for his services as pastor.

Dissensions were such, however, that Dr. Van Waters at last decided to resign and last week sent his resignation to the vestry. This organization had a meeting scheduled for the first of the present month but at that time had no quorum. A special meeting will therefore be held this evening to consider the resignation of Dr. Van Waters.

It is possible that Dr. Collins, the present assistant, may be elected to fill the vacancy, though this has not yet been considered.

Dr. Van Waters expects to make Portland his home in the future.

COURT COMPELS DUNPHY TO PAY

Mrs. Dunphy's Mother's Alleged Horsewhipping in Portland Brought In.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—Representing that Mrs. Edith M. Dunphy, the wife of the wealthy stockman, J. C. Dunphy, of Nevada and California, has no money with which to secure evidence to controvert allegations of her husband that she has been thrice married and never divorced, Judge C. M. Slack, her attorney, said today that Dunphy had not paid the alimony named by the court.

Dunphy's counsel, Attorney Meredith, charged that Mrs. Dunphy refused to make an affidavit denying the charge of Dunphy and Judge Slack replied that men would have to be sent to Portland to obtain the necessary information on which Mrs. Dunphy could base her denial.

Meredith further charged that Dunphy had received a letter from his mother-in-law threatening to cowhide Dunphy in public as she had done one of Mrs. Dunphy's former husbands at Portland. Judge Slack declared his client had nothing to do with her mother's actions.

Mrs. Dunphy sat in her carriage today near the court building and refused to enter the courtroom unless directed to do so by Judge Graham, before whom the matter was being heard.

Finally Judge Graham ordered Dunphy to pay his wife $500 costs and $250 counsel fees and the affidavit will be forthcoming.

SILVER WEDDING OF THE STROHMEYERS

Their German Friends Surprise Them With Their Joyous Presence and Their Gifts.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Oregon City, Oct. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Strohmeyer of Pearl street were agreeably surprised by a call last evening from a large number of their German friends, headed by Rev. W. R. Kraxberger of Zion's Evangelical Lutheran church, it being their silver wedding anniversary. Mr. R. Petzold, on behalf of the company, presented Mr. and Mrs. Strothmeyer with a handsome tea set. Rev. Kraxberger made a congratulatory address. Other gifts were a silver spoon and a $20 gold piece, from the father and sister of the bride. Refreshments were served and songs were sung. There were present: Rev. W. R. Kraxberger, Mr. and Mrs. R. Petzold, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nobel, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schoenheins, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Strohmeyer, Mr. Meelamore, Matt Michaels, Rudolph Seiler, Frank Kyle and Trigler Jr., Miss Irma Petzold and Mr. Trigsler, father of Mrs. Strothmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Strothmeyer were married in Missouri in 1853, and have four sons and two daughters.

WAS BOOKKEEPER IN SALEM BANK

Scriber About Fifteen Years Ago Lived in Capital City.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Salem, Or., Oct. 16.—J. W. Scriber, cashier of the defunct Farmers & Traders bank of La Grande, was a bookkeeper in the Capital National bank of Salem about 15 years ago. His parents made their home in Salem until a few years ago when Scriber senior died. After Mr. Scriber's death Mrs. Scriber and her son left to make her home at La Grande.

For a long time Scriber was a state senator from Union county. He was also connected with the Sumpter bank, which subsequently failed.

Scriber's people were among Salem's most respected citizens.

AIRSHIP TUMBLES TO DESTRUCTION

Its Inventor With It, but Not Hurt by Fall of 22 Feet.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

London, Oct. 16.—Colonel Cody, the aeroplane inventor, was seriously injured today when his machine fell 22 feet during an army test at Aldershot. The aeroplane was completely destroyed. The accident was witnessed by a score of army officers who were attending the test. When Colonel Cody was picked up he was unconscious, but it is thought that he will recover. The cause of the accident has not been discovered.

HUSBAND GETS ORDER THIS TIME

Three marriage certificates were cancelled this morning when Circuit Judges Gantenbein and Morrow granted divorce decrees to unhappily mated couples.

Although Flora Gordon had brought suit against Fritz Henry Gordon, she was refused a decree and her husband given the order for a divorce. She said that he called her vile names and accused her of infidelity, but Gordon claims that his once loving spouse deserted him after three years of marital bliss. Judge Gantenbein thought that the husband had the best of the argument and granted him the decree.

Fina Williams testified that J. D. Williams deserted her after they had been married about 18 months and was freed from the bonds of wedlock.

Alice Reckard told Judge Morrow that Arthur Reckard was cruel to her. His treatment was simply inhuman, she said, so the jurist allowed her to go on her way rejoicing, once more a single woman.

Eyes tested free at Metzger's.

VERDICT IN FAVOR OF JOHN PADDEN

Charged With Sunday Liquor Selling —Evidence Tends to Exonerate Him Entirely.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Vancouver, Wash., Oct. 16.—In the case of the state against John Padden, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, a jury in the superior court yesterday returned a verdict of not guilty.

The case against Padden was brought at the instance of Tappendorff and Wolff, former roomers at Padden's hotel. The evidence went to show that the proprietor of the hotel had taken every precaution against allowing liquor to be sold on Sunday. The only person having access to the bar was the night clerk and he had been given instructions not to enter that room for the purpose of securing liquor. In another instance it was shown that the liquor in question was sold after 12 o'clock Sunday night.

MULLER ALL BODIES TO AMALGAMATE

Secretary of the Board of Trade Muller's plan for a merger of the commercial bodies of the city into one organization was to have been the rallying point for a meeting of the members of the board of trade yesterday afternoon, but owing to poor attendance it was decided to continue the meeting until Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when Mr. Muller will lay his merger scheme before the meeting. As yet neither the chamber of commerce nor the Commercial club has taken up with the merger talk and the heads of both organizations stated today that there was nothing to merge so far as they were concerned. Mr. Muller is hopeful, and believes he can induce his brother secretaries to ante into his jackpot.

It takes about 2,000,000 cords of wood a year to make the newspapers that go through the presses of New York city.

LINCOLN COUNTY PRODUCTS IN WINDOW ATTRACT MUCH ATTENTION

Display of Lincoln County Products at Window of Sichel Store.

The magnificent display of fruit, vegetables and grain from Lincoln county now displayed in the lower window of Sig Sichel's store, 92 Third street, speaks volumes for the productiveness of this Coast Range county.

There are shelves of apples that would make Hood River or any other apple district green with envy. Eight of the apples measure 40 inches, while the potatoes are wonderful for growth and quality. Of the fruit and vegetables, there are many varieties. Rye 11 feet in height, millet, timothy and other fodder grasses and grain would delight the heart and eye of any farmer or dairyman. Mangolds, beets, swedes and other roots measure nearly three feet, and some weigh 25 pounds.

There are also samples of coal from Yaquina, taken from a vein three feet in width. The exhibit was secured by Colonel F. J. Parker and brought here by the Southern Pacific, which also paid the expenses of fitting up the window. Colonel Parker arranged the samples.

It was at first decided to make the display in the Chamber of Commerce room, but as it was not thought light enough, and Mr. Sichel kindly offering one of his show windows, his offer was gratefully accepted.

A very handsome booklet, devoted entirely to Lincoln county, published by the Southern Pacific, can be procured at the exhibit for the asking.

TWO BALLOONS LOST AT SEA

Hope Almost Given Up but Search of North Sea Will Be Made.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Berlin, Oct. 16.—It is regarded as certain that the balloons Hehersilt and Plauen, entered in the endurance contest in connection with the international balloon race, fell into the North sea, with their crews. No trace of either balloon has been found. The ships sent out to look for the missing balloons have been directed to continue the search until all hope is abandoned.

MRS. COATS TELLS TALE OF CRUELTY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—After testifying that her husband had choked her and treated her with extreme cruelty, Eulah M. Coats was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce today by Judge Seawell from L. B. Coats, the wealthy horseman. The attack on Mrs. Coats is said to have occurred at the Fairmont hotel in this city one night last August.

The testimony of Mrs. Coats was supported by Dr. James N. Ward, who was summoned to the hotel at the time. Coats recently obtained an injunction to prevent his wife from disposing of $9,500 she had on deposit. The court vacated the order. The details of the financial settlement were not disclosed.

Special to Hood River.

"Portland Day" special train to Hood River Fair tomorrow, Saturday, leaves Union Depot at 9 a. m. Round trip, $1.90.

DOGS TREE BIG BEAR

Hunter Goes After Cougar and Meets a Bruin.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Aberdeen, Wash., Oct. 16.—E. C. Morgan, a farmer living on North River near Vesta, reports that he has had six head of cattle killed by a big cougar within the past month. He thinks that the animal is the same which has killed so many head of stock for G. M. Powell in the Nesshkah valley.

Yesterday morning Thomas Dew took his fine hunting dogs and went in search of the cougar. When about three miles from Cosmopolis, his present home, Dew ran onto a big black bear, which gave fight to his dogs. It caught one of them and tore its tongue the whole length, injuring it so that Dew had to carry it home.

The bear was finally treed by the dogs and Dew shot it. The body lodged in the branches of the tree and it was necessary to get an axe and chop the tree down before it could be secured.

Mrs. Julia Nye Lee.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Sweet Home, Or., Oct. 16.—Mrs. Julia Nye Lee died Tuesday after a long and severe illness. The deceased was 43 years of age. She was born in Oregon and lived all her life here. Mrs. Lee was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Nye, pioneers. In 1901 she married William Lee. The husband and one child survive.

HEAR LAND GRANT CASE DECEMBER 7

The date of answer to the suit in equity which was filed in the United States circuit court by B. D. Townsend, special assistant to the attorney-general, in the famous Oregon & California land grant case, was postponed in the federal court this morning until December 7. As there are several defendants beside the Oregon & California company it was decided to make the same day for all so that the answer to the complaint could be made at the same time.

SUIT OVER SEWER VICTIMS BEGINS

That suit to recover damages against Paquet, Giebisch & Joplin will be commenced at once for the death of the three Finns who were killed in the accident in the Brooklyn sewer recently, is indicated in three petitions filed in the county court asking that Joseph Ehlanen be appointed administrator of the estates of the victims. The petitions do not state the present value of the estate.

INJURED HEAD IS COMMITTMENT'S CAUSE

Frank Campbell, aged 20, who resides with his mother at University Park, has been adjudged insane and will be taken to the asylum. It is stated that he received a fall, striking on his head when 6 years of age and that since that time his condition mentally has become weak.

BRING GOLD DUST FROM FAR NORTH

A lucky trio of Alaska miners arrived in Portland Thursday night and are at the Oak hotel. D. C. Hefty of Jack Wade creek, a pioneer Alaska gold digger, brought out a comfortably filled poke, worth about $20,000. Mr. Hefty is enroute to Grants Pass, where he will remain until December 1. He intends returning to the northern country before the holidays. H. H. Myers and F. J. Herbster, who have been prospecting on Napoleon creek, in the Forty-Mile country, met with a fair measure of success and brought back a considerable quantity of the yellow dust. Myers will winter in Portland, returning to Alaska in the early spring, and Herbster will start back about December 1.

INSPECTED CHEHALIS DEPOSITS OF COAL

D. O. Clark, general manager of the Union Pacific Coal company, is in Portland today returning from Washington where he has been inspecting new mines being opened for the use of the railroads at Chehalis, Wash. Chehalis is on the lines of both the Northern Pacific and the Oregon & Washington, the proposed Harriman Portland-Seattle line. Mr. Clark will leave for Omaha this afternoon on Union Pacific private car No. 105.

BEST OF ALL FRUIT FAIRS

Hood River Has Set in to Score the Success of Its Life.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Hood River, Or., Oct. 16.—Today is bright and clear and the Hood River fruit show was opened this morning with its complete display. The morning trains brought hundreds of visitors. The apple show is admitted to be the finest ever made at Hood River. The thousand and more boxes of fruit are more neatly arranged and better decorated than in previous years and the whole show is much larger than has even before been attempted. The plate display of all kinds of fruit is the biggest in the history of the fruit fair and the fruit is of much finer quality.

No names have been placed on the exhibits, as the judging has not been completed, and except for the banners announcing in which district the apples are grown, it is impossible to tell from which section they come.

The display also includes exhibits of mammoth vegetables, canned fruits and other products of the valley. The displays extend for 160 feet on each side of the pavilion, with racks in the center equally long, and the whole presents the scene of a small lake of apples, whose fragrance and beautiful colors are delighting the sightseers and the many horticulturists who are here from other districts. Among those who arrived this morning to view the fair are Secretary of State Benson from Salem, and Professor Withycombe of the Oregon Athletic club.

This afternoon immense crowds are thronging the exhibit pavilion, and President Castner and Secretary Thompson of the fair association state that the fair is the biggest success Hood River has ever scored. Tomorrow is expected to be the biggest and best day and everything will be put in readiness to take care of the big crowds.

ST. JOHNS EPISCOPAL CHURCH INCORPORATES

Articles of incorporation were filed for two new concerns and the organization of a new church to be known as St. Johns Memorial Episcopal church with the county clerk this morning. The incorporators for the congregation were: J. J. Sellwood and S. H. Beach, wardens, and H. C. Fixott, J. M. Canfield, H. J. Hancock and A. G. Whiteman, vestrymen.

Articles for the Oregon Transfer company were filed by H. L. Corbett, J. F. Failing, J. C. Flanders and James N. Murphy.

The Waterhouse & Lester company is incorporated by W. N. Bellinger, C. A. Alphonse and Russel E. Sewall. The capital stock will be $1,500.

HATHAWAY HOUSE IN OTHERS' HANDS

Rose Hathaway has brought suit in the circuit court to recover furniture located in a house at 32 North Seventh street, which she says E. J. Howell now holds in his possession and refuses to return to her. She will accept $1,200 if she can not have the furniture.

The Hathaway woman eloped with Otto Kuiper, formerly the local Pinkerton superintendent, not long ago and on her return found the house which she presided over in the possession of other parties.

COFFEE

or tea: or both: Schilling's Best at your grocer. Moneyback both.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best: we pay him.

TAFT WAY DOWN SOUTH IN DIXIE

Classifies Alleged "Republican Democrats"—Address at Chattanooga.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 16.—William H. Taft addressed an enormous crowd here today on his tour of Dixie, the first ever made by a Republican presidential candidate. He was well received and in the course of his remarks said:

"There are three kinds of Democrats—those voting for me; those voting for Bryan, hoping that I shall be elected, and those not voting at all."

Taft said he believed the time had come when the Democrats of the south should "vote with the Republican party, which is responsible for their prosperity."

The candidate's reception in the south has been most cordial and much enthusiasm has been displayed.

Eye glasses, $1 at Metzger's.

DR. E. M. DALLAS
OPTICIAN

Who has just returned from Europe, where for the past six months he has been investigating the different methods of **EYE-TESTING** by prominent opticians in England, France and Germany, will use the new **WIESBADEN METHOD**, which caused so much talk in Europe, and is the most wonderful science of its kind in finding the proper glasses to be worn by the patient.

Quick, Accurate and Absolutely Correct

NO EXTRA CHARGE will be made. Always reasonable in price, you will find the workmanship the best, and the relief from the lenses immediate and lasting.

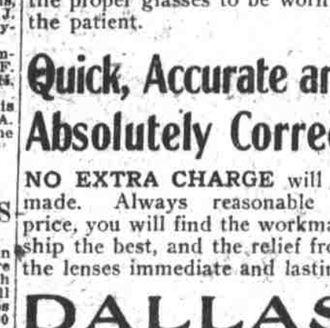
DALLAS
OPTICAL PARLORS
218-19 Failing Building, Corner Third and Washington.
Second Floor. Take Elevator.

REED-FRENCH
PIANOS

An extraordinary piano offer for the balance of October!

Thirty days ago we made a remarkably liberal offer; it's true it was not accompanied by any great flare of trumpets, but it had the ring of genuineness about it as numbers of recent piano customers will gladly testify.

We want everybody to know more of this Reed-French bid for business.



HERE IT IS: If you will agree to buy a piano this month (October) we will let you have one of these beautiful 1909 style pianos—just arrived—as follows:

$300, Any Wood, for $224
$325, Any wood, for $238
$375, Any Wood, for $265

Pay us $10 down, and $6 a month, for either of first two and $15 down and $7 a month for the $265 piano. These prices include scarf, stool, delivery and tuning. Use the piano two years free and then turn it in on our Pianista piano player, if you wish.

To Prospective Customers—(It makes no difference whether city or country) write or phone us you want one of these pianos, we will send it, freight and cartage prepaid, on above terms with the understanding, if piano is not as represented, "no sale." The decision is entirely with the customer. Main 1251 or A5261.

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PIANO MFG. CO
SIXTH & BURNSIDE
PORTLAND, OREGON

A Better Soap Was Needed

And so, three years ago, we began to make P. & G. Naphtha Soap.

Four years ago, we recognized the need for a better naphtha soap than any then made.

Three years ago, we began to manufacture P. & G. Naphtha Soap.

Today, we offer it with the assurance that it is better than anything of its kind on the market.

How much better?

Nearly 50% better.

Why?

Because, in the first place, it is white—there is no rosin in it.

Because it is harder than any other naphtha soap; and, therefore, will last longer.

Because it weighs more; and, therefore, will do more work.

For Sale by All Grocers

Earned Money at Home Baking

It's a strange woman who would refuse many easy ways to earn extra dollars.

Your allowance may be small—
You may want pin-money—
You may want to help your husband, but do not care to work down town.

You can make money as well as other women do who have small ads in The Journal.

Tell in a few words what you would like to do. Your neighbors will not know it's your ad. It may be baking, sewing or hairdressing. You'll be surprised to learn how many people will read your ad. If you do not feel able to advertise, here is another way—

Read Journal Want Ads every day—you will learn who will buy your old clothing—furniture—bicycles.

You can find a desirable boarder, too.

The prudent housewife reads them every day.

JOURNAL WANT ADS COST 1 CENT A WORD—SEVEN INSERTIONS FOR THE PRICE OF SIX