

TOPICS

AMUSEMENTS
MELIC—Eleventh and Morrison, Favorites in "The Circus"...

Weather Conditions.
Portland and vicinity—Cloudy tonight and Friday; probably rain, easterly winds...

Metallurgists Are Wanted.—The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held in this city...

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marks about her. The two women met in the street near their homes, in which encounter Mrs. Percy claims she was roughly handled. Judge Stevenson gave both women a lecture and sent them home.

The Oregon State Board of Dental Examiners will hold their semi-annual examination in Portland, Oregon, on November 17, 1913, for the purpose of examining candidates and revoking licenses...

One Third Your Life in Bed.—Make that third comfortable and restful by keeping your mattresses and pillows renovated. Portland Curled Hair Mattress Factory, 15th and Lovejoy streets. Phone Main 324, A-1347. (Adv.)

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LA FRANCE CONVICTED OF HAVING DEFRAUDED INSURANCE COMPANIES
Sentence Will Be Passed Saturday; Identity of Corpse Used Is Still a Mystery.

James C. La France was found guilty at 8 o'clock last night of obtaining money by false pretenses from the Modern Woodmen of the World. The case was given to the jury a little after 5 o'clock and the verdict was made public less than three hours afterward. Judge J. P. Kavanaugh announced that he would pass sentence at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning. La France's wife, Mrs. Emily La France, indicted jointly with her husband, will be tried at a later date.

MERCED, NEW VESSEL, BUILT AT ST. HELENS, VALUED AT \$155,000

The Merced was built at the ship yards of Charles R. McCormick & Co. at St. Helens, on the lower Columbia, and was launched in January of this year. She is a sister ship of the steam schooner Multnomah, which was the first craft built at the yard, the Merced being the second to come off the ways.

REPORT OF NORTHERN PACIFIC MADE PUBLIC
Showing Indicates That Increase in Year's Revenue Constant.

Reports of the Northern Pacific railway for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, were made public by President Jule M. Hannaford, who said the railroad's net surplus was \$1,149,708.26 in excess of the 1912 surplus, or a total of \$3,433,517.82. The total net revenue was \$28,411,660.85, with \$17,500,000 distributed in dividends on stock, the same as the previous year.

WAR DEPARTMENT IS READY TO APPROVE OF PORTLAND'S CAVALRY

G. N. Has Candidate for Commandment Though Act Not Been Reported.
It was only his duty, but he did it. Had he not done it, there would have been no great harm, no lives probably would have been lost nor any great property damage resulting.

CREW OF MERCED, PASSENGERS SAFE ON TANKER ATLAS

board was Miss Reana Read, an actress, who was on her way to her sick mother in Spokane. Captain A. F. Asplund was in command. The wreck first reached Eureka last evening in the form of a wireless S. O. S. signal. The wireless conveyed the information some time later that the passengers had taken to the boats but that they were standing by the Merced, as a high surf was running and it was feared they would be swamped if they attempted a landing in the darkness.

FORMER MONEY ORDER CLERK IS SENTENCED
Elmore McKenzie Must Spend Six Months in County Jail for His Peculations.

Pleading guilty to the charge of having embezzled \$615 from the government while employed as a clerk in the money order department of the Portland postoffice, Elmore McKenzie was given a six months' sentence in the county jail by Judge Bean in the United States district court. McKenzie was indicted yesterday by the October federal grand jury. His peculations extended from July, 1911, to July, 1912.

DEFENSE ATTEMPTS ALIBI
La France first disappeared June 19, 1912, and according to evidence brought out at the trial, went to Donald, Or., to work on a farm. In his defense it was attempted to prove an alibi on this fact.

Wife Collected Insurance.
Mrs. La France, as the beneficiary of La France's insurance policies, collected on them to the amount of \$14,900; only \$3,000 of this sum was received from the Modern Woodmen of the World. Her part in the collection was the basis of her being jointly indicted with her husband.

STATION AGENT KNEW HIS DUTY AND DID IT
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It was only his duty, but he did it. Had he not done it, there would have been no great harm, no lives probably would have been lost nor any great property damage resulting. E. L. Murphy is night operator at the little station of Kalama. Early Sunday morning, just before the "owl" train passed through from Seattle to Portland, he discovered a bit of broken rail 18 inches long right in front of the de-

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORS HOLD RALLY TOMORROW
Congregational Meeting at Sunnyside Attracts Much Attention.

A meeting that is attracting much attention is the gathering of the members of the Congregational Christian Endeavor societies in their third annual city and suburban rally tomorrow evening in the auditorium of the Sunnyside church, East Thirty-second and Taylor streets.

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is giving the people of the Northwest an opportunity to buy Oriental Rugs at the lowest prices ever heard of in this country. Some of the most beautiful specimens ever placed on sale are being offered—and they are being sold to the highest bidders. You may select any Rug you wish beforehand and bid it in when the sale starts. Hundreds of varieties and in sizes from the small mat to the large room size, and some of them valued as high as \$8500.00.

Tonight, Eight o'Clock, Sharp
Ask any one who has attended these sales, and you will find that they have returned. Would you return if you were not satisfied? No! neither would they. The afternoon sale (from 3 to 5) of Laces and Linens is finding great favor with those who are fanciers of beautiful table linens. Some very valuable sets are being auctioned off. We have values in these as high as \$1500. In noting this sale it might be well to remember that Xmas will soon be here.

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WILL INVESTIGATE CHARGES.—To determine whether D. V. Anderson and W. J. Patterson, who charged J. Jordan with larceny of \$125 worth of goods from the Oriental Fashions company store, are using the district attorney's office as a collection agency, Deputy District Attorney Maguire will investigate the charges thoroughly. Jordan was brought back from Vancouver, B. C., last night by Sheriff Word. He insists that the complainants want to collect the money.

Tuesday Was Banquet Day.—Tuesday proved the banquet day for business in the office of Clerk Willey of the district courts. During the day \$147.05 was received in fees and \$76.00 in costs were filed. The greatest prior day's work amounted to 63 cases and brought in \$126 in fees. Since June 3 \$100 civil suits have been filed in the district court.

Transfer Company Formed.—Articles of Incorporation of the Baggage Transfer Service company were filed yesterday by E. K. and Grace V. Brown and E. E. McCarty. The corporation is placed at \$10,000. Miller Bros. Steel-smith company, sheet metal works, was incorporated by George E. and Adam Miller and George L. Steelsmith, capitalized at \$2500.

Norwegian Official Here.—Harold Buch and G. Furuholmen, officials of the state railroads of Norway, have been in Portland several days inspecting railroads and other transportation phases. They were taken over the Southern Pacific lines out from Portland by General Superintendent D. W. Campbell.

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