

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE OREGONIAN TELEPHONES.
Counting Room.....Main 7070
Advertising Editor.....Main 7070

AMUSEMENTS.
BAKER THEATER (Third and Yamhill sts.)
—Miles Brothers moving pictures of the earthquake and fire; Matinee at 2:15, 8:15 and 10:15 o'clock.

OREGONIAN AT RESORTS.
Ocean Park.....C. H. Hill
The Breakers.....J. M. Arthur
Long Beach.....Straubel & Co.

REPAIRING WOODSTOCK SCHOOLHOUSE.
The Woodstock schoolhouse is being thoroughly overhauled and repaired under contracts made before annexation by the old school directors.

LOVED ARRESTED FOR VAGRANCY.—Frank A. Lloyd, husband of the woman who was arrested because of alleged irregularities in her methods of soliciting advertising contracts, was tried in the Police Court yesterday morning on charges of vagrancy.

CROWD LISTENS TO MUSIC
Appreciative Audience Attends Band Concert at Hawthorne Park.

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CHILDREN GUESTS AT THE OAKS.—The children of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society to the number of 40 and four attendants attended The Oaks yesterday afternoon and had one of the most enjoyable times of the summer.

CHILDREN'S HOME TRAVEL PARTY.—Happy indeed were the 40 boys and girls from "The Home," as they boarded an S car for the Baker Theater yesterday afternoon.

CUTTING PRICE ON MILK.—During the season of cheap hay and good pasture the milkmen have had an exceptionally large supply of milk, and some of them, who are not members of the association, have reduced the price to 12 cents per quart delivered each day.

CHRISTOPHER TIMMS DEAD.—Christopher Timms, engineer at the Blue Mountain Ice Company's plant for the past five years, died yesterday of heart trouble. He was a prominent young man in W. O. W. circles, having been a leading worker in Prospect and Troutdale camps.

WILL ADDRESS COMMERCIAL CLUB.—Professor G. L. McKay, who is at the head of the dairy department of the Iowa State College at Ames, will address the business men of Portland at the Commercial Club Thursday.

WOMAN'S EXC.—133 19th, lunch 11:30 to 2:30. WANTED.—Photographer, 801 Dekum.

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Sole Agents for "Vudor" Porch Shades in All Sizes—Lowest Prices—Third Floor "Willamette" Sewing Machines—Fifteen Models at Prices from \$18.00 to \$35.00 Each

The Meier & Frank Store 3500 Pairs Long Gloves At Greatly Reduced Prices



While other stores are worrying and fretting over their inability to secure long silk or lisle gloves or long gloves of any description—The Meier & Frank Store announces for today, tomorrow, Friday and Saturday a timely offering of 3500 pairs of long silk, lisle and net gloves at very special prices—All new, up-to-date goods of the best manufacture—Imported and domestic merchandise in all sizes—Another demonstration of the strength and standing of Portland's Largest and Best Store in the markets of the world

- Long Silk Gloves \$1.39
600 pairs of women's 12-button length pure Silk gloves—black and white in all sizes; great special value at this low price, pair \$1.39
500 pairs of women's Milanese Lisle Gloves, 12-button length in black, white, gray and beaver, 2-pearl clasps, Mousquetaire style, all sizes; regular \$1.75 values on sale at this special price, pair \$1.59

IT'S THE BEST OF ALL PARKER RYE WHISKEY

ROTHCHILD BROS., Portland, Or. SOLE DISTRIBUTORS

REPAIRS THAT REPAIR Broken spectacle frames mended by us stand the test of time. Odd lenses replaced before you miss them.

COLUMBIAN OPTICAL CO. Denver, Omaha, Kansas City, Salt Lake; Dallas, Texas; Portland, Oregon. 133 Sixth St. FLOYD F. BROWER, Mgr. Oregonian Bldg.

Niagara Fire Insurance Company OF NEW YORK

Table with financial data: 113th Semi-Annual Statement June 30, 1906, as Filed With the Insurance Department of the State of New York. Assets: New York City bonds, Railroad and other bonds, etc. Liabilities: Reserve for unpaid losses, Reinsurance reserve, etc.

WM. J. LANDERS, Mgr. TOLL THOMPSON, Special Agent SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE, 253 BUCHANAN ST., CORNER WASHINGTON. OAKLAND OFFICE, CORNER 12TH AND HARRISON STREETS. PORTLAND AGENTS—THOS. A. JORDAN & CO., 3 Worcester building; A. W. LAMBERT & CO., Citizens' Bank.

COLUMBIA LIFE & TRUST COMPANY. First Life Insurance Company Organized in Oregon. Has Lower Guaranteed Premium Rates than Any Other Company. RELIABLE MEN DESIRED AS REPRESENTATIVES.

A Complete Novelette By EDITH WHARTON. Author of "The House of Mirth," appears in the FICTION NUMBER (AUGUST) SCRIBNER.

BRUNOT HALL. A Boarding and Day School for Girls. Certificate admits to Smith-Wellesly and other colleges. The music department under the charge of artists is a special feature. Fine Art Studio. Write for illustrated catalogue. For further information address JULIA P. BAILEY, Principal, 2209 Pacific Avenue, Spokane, Wash.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

PIANO SALE. Our annual Mid-Summer sale of piano-players, pianos, organs begins Monday morning, July 23. Come in and get prices. Summer is the time to buy a piano. A few of our leaders: Gabler, Kurtzmann, Behring, Strohhler, Meville, Clark, and the only 88 note interior piano-player—the Apollo. SOULE BROS. PIANO CO. 374 Morrison St. Phone Main 677. Now the Oldest and Always the Most Reliable Piano House in Portland.

We Cure Men for \$12.50. Established 25 Years in Portland. CONSULTATION FREE. ABSOLUTE GUARANTEE NO PAY UNLESS CURED. St. Louis MEDICAL AND SURGICAL Dispensary. CORNER SECOND AND YAMHILL STREETS, PORTLAND, OREGON.

ONE HUNDRED YOUNGSTERS WILL BE GIVEN OUTING AT SEASHORE. Juvenile Improvement Association Decides to Play the Fairy Godmother Again This Year. THE first annual meeting of the Juvenile Improvement Association was held in Judge Frazer's chambers at the Courthouse yesterday afternoon, and the majority of the members of the organization were present. This year there are nearly 100 children to be given an outing at the seashore. The youngsters are quartered at the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, and in other places that are maintained either by the State of Oregon or by public subscription. It is the aim of the Juvenile Improvement Association to see that the youngsters get an outing, with the face of Loder when he returned the license to the deputy clerk is one of those things that are hard to explain. Boys Suspected of Burglary. ORGON CITY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Fred Torgeson and Ralph Lewis, arrested here yesterday on advice of Sheriff Culver, of Marion County, were released yesterday afternoon. The boys, aged about 18 years of age, were suspected of burglarizing a store at Marion, near Salem. When arrested each lad was armed with a revolver and a number of cartridges. Not This Peter Wagner. PORTLAND, Or., July 24.—(To the Editor.)—In today's issue, page 10, column 2, I note the marriage did not take place. I-I, well, never mind giving my money back. The foregoing will explain why Thomas Loder, aged 27, did not marry May Engell, who acknowledged that her age was 18, on April 19. But the broad grin that overtook the face of Loder when he returned the license to the deputy clerk is one of those things that are hard to explain. DEPUTY County Clerk Christensen is tender-hearted and if he were to follow his generous impulses he would have difficulty in accumulating enough money to pay for board and clothing. And that is the reason that when a man wants a favor in the office of the County Clerk he sizes up the clerks and then walks over to Christensen and tells him a tale of woe that really should be poured into the ears of one of the men who took orders from Captain Bruin for the past eight months, but who are now saying all kinds of cruel things about the recently deposed captain. Christensen was at his desk yesterday afternoon wearing his habitual smile and the requisite articles of clothing for office work, when he was approached by a man garbed in the uniform of a street-car employee. "I got a marriage license here last April," said the man in uniform, "and I have dropped in to tell you that—" "Oh, of course," said Christensen, "I know just how it is. It seems that a man who ever gets a marriage license at this counter will always come back. Once a customer always a customer. The name of the lady, please?" "But, but, but—" stammered the man. "Oh, I know how you feel," said the urbane Christensen. "I don't worry. As I said before, from this office we issue the finest marriage licenses to be found in any city on earth, and—" "But I don't want a license," said the street-car man. As a matter of fact I took out a license here on April 19 and the document is still in a good state of preservation. I want to return that license and at the same time explain that for certain reasons