

### MORE ROOMS, GRAY OF ELK COMMITTEE

Private Homes Must Be Listed to Accommodate All, Say Workers.

CROWD MAY REACH 200,000

Lodge Commission Asks All With Available Quarters to Advise Bureau—Hotel Managers Deny Prices Will Be Boosted.

#### ROOMS IN PRIVATE HOMES NEEDED FOR ELK WEEK

Portland residents are urged to rent rooms for the week-long reunion week—July 8 to 12. The greatest crowd that ever assembled in the city will be here and the hotels cannot accommodate them.

Unless the people of Portland generally come to an early realization of the fact that the city will be called upon to entertain the largest crowd in its history during the period of the Elk's National Convention, two weeks hence, many visitors may have difficulty in obtaining accommodations.

Portland is able to take care of everyone who wishes, even if the number reaches 200,000, which now seems probable. Portland will take care of everyone who wishes, as soon as they come here, then will be able to learn where they can secure sleeping accommodations.

Citizens Urged to Assist. So that the business of the Commission can be handled to the advantage, the convention offices and the hotel bureau will be moved from the fourth floor of the Elk's building into the large room at the northeast corner of Seventh and Oak streets tomorrow morning.

100,000 Low Estimate. "Portland will have to entertain at least 100,000 people," he declared, and that is by far the greater number than ever gathered here within a single week. I would not be surprised to have the attendance go to 200,000.

Arrangements have been completed for the erection of a great illuminated Elk clock 12 feet in diameter, at the Ash-street dock, where it will be visible from the river as well as from the shore. It will be lighted on both sides and decorated with flags.

Normal Prices to Prevail. Dr. Harry P. McKay, entertainment commissioner, yesterday made a complete canvass of the hotels and cafes to learn whether the published rates that they were to raise prices of drinks and other refreshments is true.

Arrangements were completed yesterday for the reproduction of "The Bridge of the Gods" on Multnomah Field on Monday and Wednesday evenings of convention week. These events will not become a part of the official programme, however, as an admission

City Hall were closed last night and the unpaid licenses become delinquent there were on the delinquent list six restaurants which probably intend to eliminate the sale of liquor in the future. They were for the most part Chinese chop suey and noodle houses and have discontinued the "liquor list" because of recent restrictions placed upon them by a liquor license ordinance passed by the Council. All of the delinquent licenses were automatically canceled and no new license can be secured by any one of them without an ordinance being passed by the Council. The city received a total of \$184,000 in licenses for the half year beginning June 30. All of the retail and wholesale saloon licenses were renewed by the holders.

### REFORM PUBLICITY IS AIM

Denver, Pittsburg, Philadelphia and Portland Picked for Centers. Publicity headquarters are to be established at Denver, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and Portland according to James S. McGraw, National field secretary, who is now in Portland. A meeting of the state committee was held at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon. This executive committee now has ten members. It is planned to increase it to 25 and to name 25 vice-presidents in addition.

### HOUSE IN WHICH DEMENTED GIRL SLEW BABY COUSIN



EXCITED CROWD AND LADDER BY WHICH ENTRANCE WAS GAINED TO LOCKED AND BARRED DEATH CHAMBER, WHERE FRIEDA PARKS KILLED LITTLE HELEN GREEN.

in every county in Oregon. Dr. H. C. Minton will visit Portland in about a month and James S. Martin, the general superintendent, will be here before the conference, which will be held in June and July, next year. It is planned to hold a district representation in every county in Oregon. Dr. H. C. Minton will visit Portland in about a month and James S. Martin, the general superintendent, will be here before the conference, which will be held in June and July, next year.

### APPLE SHOW IS ORGANIZED

Newly-Elected Officers Plan Best Exhibit in History of Northwest. Officers elected temporarily Saturday to the Board of Directors to have charge of the coming Oregon Apple Show were given permanent election at a meeting of the committee held at the Commercial Club yesterday.

### INTEREST NOW GROWING

Mazama Trip Outing Attracts From All Parts of Country. Interest in the Mazama trip to Mount Hood on July 15, is steadily increasing. Inquiries concerning the outing are being received by the outing committee from all parts of the country and the indications are that the limit, that has been set on the membership of the party, will be reached. Portland people who have been members of the Mazama outings in former years are getting their equipment in shape for the trip to Mount Hood.

### BANFF HOT SPRINGS.

Canadian National Park. Tickets good for stopovers at all points, including Glacier, Field and Laggan.

### GIRL SLAYS BABE IN MAD AFFECTION

Shoe Tree and Razor Used by Frieda Parks to Kill Her 2-Year-Old Cousin.

### SLAYER FOND OF VICTIM

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In a momentary fit of homicidal mania, induced, it is believed by recent illness, Frieda Parks, 24, murdered her cousin, Helen Marguerite Green, two



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years old, by crushing the babe's skull and cutting its throat from ear to ear, at the home of the slayer, 353 Ivy street, yesterday afternoon. The mad act followed close upon demonstrations of affection, noticeable, but not exaggerated, toward the child, who, with her mother, was visiting at the home of the Parks. The demented girl is said to have been particularly fond of her victim.

### Babe Left in Blood Pool.

The child only climbed the faster and Frieda volunteered to go after her. They were absent a few moments, when sounds were heard on the upper floor, and a voice cried out. The women rushed upstairs, but found that the two front bedrooms, one within the other, were locked. They heard Frieda screaming as in terrible fright, and next became aware that she was hurling articles through the windows into the street.

The neighborhood became aroused, and a large crowd gathered in the street. A Sander, a baker from just across the street, and the slayer, who broke in one door, but found the inner one locked, and returned to the street, where he obtained a ladder. Mounting this, he entered the death chamber and found the baby in a pool of blood, on the bed, with a coat thrown over it. The slayer was crouched in the corner of a closet.

### LODGE BURIES MRS. HOCH

Funeral Services Conducted and Burial Had at Riverview. The funeral of Minnie Hoch, wife of Eugene Hoch, of Blumauer & Hoch, was held at the residence, Twenty-third and Irving streets, yesterday. The interment was in Riverdale cemetery. Jacob Kratt, pastor of the First German Baptist Church, preached the funeral sermon, and Miss L. Dalton Miller rendered a vocal solo.

### DON'T BE BALD

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Garment Store, Second Floor. A sale of Women's Coats in rich, lustrous taffeta silk, plain or changeable colors, pongee silks and peau de soie silk, with large collars, semi-fitting and loose effects; very stylish models. Some with fancy braid trimmings and large buttons. A good range of colors. Values to \$30.00. A good range of bargains at only, each **\$17.95**

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In this lot we group plain and changeable taffetas, black bengaline and natural pongees, styled with large collars, trimmed with moire satin, lace and broadcloth; all the very newest effects, semi-fitted and loose. Regular values to \$40.00, this sale, special, **\$23.79**

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An attractive showing of Women's Linen Coats in the loose and semi-fitted styles, with sewed-in or raglan sleeves, plain linen collars or fancy collars and cuffs; some have military collars. Prices range \$5.00 to \$32.50. One very attractive model is of linen crash with raglan sleeves, with ant cap to match, bargained, **\$10.00**

### Sale Dinner Sets

China Department, Third Floor. Splendid saving opportunities are offered on semi-porcelain Dinner Sets for fitting up the Summer cottage. White Dinner Sets, fancy shape pieces—semi-porcelain ware, at these prices: 42-piece \$3.60 Dinner Set at **\$2.93** 50-piece \$4.45 Dinner Set at **\$3.55** 60-piece \$5.00 Dinner Set at **\$4.45** 100-piece \$8.70 Dinner Set at **\$6.96** Gold band decorations with narrow gold line inside band, semi-porcelain ware, on sale at these special prices: 42-piece, \$ 5.85. Dinner Set, **\$ 4.65** 50-piece, \$ 7.00. Dinner Set, **\$ 5.60** 60-piece, \$ 9.35. Dinner Set, **\$ 7.50** 100-piece, \$13.85. Dinner Set, **\$11.00** Fancy shape, decorated with green border wreath, with Dresden rosette and three gold hairlines, as follows: 42-piece, \$ 6.75. Dinner Set, **\$ 5.40** 50-piece, \$ 7.85. Dinner Set, **\$ 6.25** 60-piece, \$10.50. Dinner Set, **\$ 8.40** 100-piece, \$15.50. Dinner Set, **\$12.40** All semi-porcelain Dinner Sets are reduced. Fancy shape and fancy design, decorated with gold line on edge, with dainty pink spray, as follows: 42-piece set, \$ 4.63 value, at **\$3.70** 50-piece set, \$ 5.65 value, at **\$4.50** 60-piece set, \$ 7.55 value, at **\$6.00** 100-piece set, \$11.50 value, at **\$9.20** Plain shape, decorated, old-fashioned blue onion, on sale at these low prices: 42-piece set, \$ 7.75 value, at **\$ 6.20** 50-piece set, \$ 8.90 value, at **\$ 7.10** 60-piece set, \$11.55 value, at **\$ 9.25** 100-piece set, \$18.15 value, at **\$14.50** Pink and green lines, with conventional design, very neat, at these prices: 50-piece set, \$ 8.40 value, at **\$ 6.70** 60-piece set, \$11.20 value, at **\$ 8.95** 100-piece set, \$17.40 value, at **\$13.90** Gold line, with delicate gold embossed band, in this sale at these low prices: 42-piece set, \$ 6.15 value, for **\$4.92** 50-piece set, \$ 7.55 value, for **\$6.00** 60-piece set, \$10.10 value, for **\$8.00**

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Garment Store, Second Floor. A sale of women's long Silk Kimonos in floral and figured designs, styled in the loose effects or shirred in at the waist line; trimmed with bands of satin, with V-shape **\$3.98** neck and short sleeves; special

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A great sale of women's short Silk Kimonos in pretty floral patterns, loose effects or shirred in at the waist line; trimmed with satin bands or with borders, all **\$2.49** sizes in the lot; special at only

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Complete stock of women's and children's Bathing Suits in all the newest and best models in the panel and princess front effects; semi-fitted, bloomers attached; mohair suits, fancy braid trimming; **\$10.00** satin sailor collars and silk piping; priced at \$2.75 to

### Waists \$3.79

Second Floor, Southwest. An elegant assortment of women's waists in the dainty lingerie and marquisette materials, styled with high or Dutch necks; also new perlim blouse effects, sleeveless and suspender blouses trimmed with Val. thread, Irish and shadow laces, embroidery, etc.; all sizes up to **\$3.79**; special low price, **\$3.79**

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Women's Silk Petticoats in mesaline silk, changeable and Dresden with accordion pleated flounces and knife pleating; Jersey tops with accordion pleated mesaline flounces; taffeta silks with tailored bands and tucks—Sewer wanted color, including black and white, **\$4.49**

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