

GIRL FROM ALPS SINGS

Fraulein Mayerhofer, With Tyrolean Singers, Thrills Gladstone Audience.

MORE THAN 3000 ATTEND

Numerous Features of Chautauqua Attract Large Crowds—Lecturer Attacks Divorce System and Criticizes Women's Dress.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME AT GLADSTONE PARK CHAUTAUQUA.

- 8:11—Chautauqua Summer School. 11—Recital of the morning. Subject, "Problems of Social Hygiene." 1:15—Concert, ladies' band; C. H. Patterson, tenor. 2—Reading, Mrs. Frances Carter. 2—Lecture, Mrs. Poon Chew, Chinese statesman, "Modern China." 3:30—Baseball, Commercial Club vs. Clackamas. 7:15—Concert, ladies' band, C. H. Patterson, tenor. 8—Lecture, Frederick Vinberg Fisher, "The Panama Canal and the Exposition."

GLADSTONE PARK, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—Little Fraulein Mayerhofer, whose home is in the Bavarian Alps, was the feature today at Gladstone Park. Miss Mayerhofer is a singer of the Jennie Lind "nightingale" type, and so thrilled an audience of more than 3000 people that she was called back again and again. The Tyrolean Alpine Singers, consisting of four dashing young mountaineers, three dainty peasant lassies and Miss Mayerhofer, held full sway at the Chautauqua. All were in the peasant garb of the Tyroleans, sang native songs and played native instruments. And their melody, characteristic of the Swiss mountaineers—was most beautiful. It was the largest audience present so far this season.

It was in the rendition of the native aria, "My Home," that Miss Mayerhofer was at her best. Quietly slipping out of the auditorium, she joined in the song from a point over 100 yards away from the massive building, concealed in a mass of oak shrubbery. The effect was beautiful. Dr. Hinson, of Portland, in his morning talk, attacked the divorce system of the country. He also made a few criticisms about the prevailing fashions in women's wearing apparel, and the love of extravagance in the United States. While his subject was "The Assets of America," his talk was a resume of the big problems confronting the country.

Shakespeare Feature Attracts. The Shakespeare headquarters is the center of a great deal of interest. A series of round table entertainments has been arranged. Mrs. Frances Carter was the luncheon guest today.

Friday at 4 P. M. the Oregon Women's Press Club will have reception at the Shakespearean Round Table at the Shannon Monroe, the novelist. Mrs. T. S. Townsend has charge of the quarters. Mesdames Herbert G. Reed, Mable Wallace Butterworth, Edward Prebble, J. C. Elder, U. S. Dodge and R. E. Jones were among the Portland women who came to hear Mrs. Carter's recital yesterday. Other Portland women coming out each day to attend Mrs. Carter's recital classes.

Other outdoor sketching classes had their first meeting. The novel sight of a large crowd of aspiring artists perched in the baseball grandstand and trying their hand at the adjoining landscape witnessed.

Rules for Children Given. "He who breathes best, lives best," said Miss Grace Lamkin at her round table talk to mothers this afternoon. "We must make good citizens of our boys and girls by unifying strong, independent minds and strong characters. We can do this only by giving them plenty of fresh air, good wholesome nourishment, stirring games, and plenty of sunshine. The physical training that we should give them must include practical lessons in hygiene, with rest and recreative periods. We need more womanly women and more manly men; more who want to gain renown in health as well as in fame; more who think of face and form and care who portray culture of soul instead of awkwardness." Miss Lamkin's work is attracting wide attention.

Almost 1000 persons are camped on the grounds, and about 250 tents are up. It seems to be a sort of a college year for aside from the large representation of Oregon educators, the representatives of Oregon educators, the representatives of the evangelist association, located at Salem, where he organized a society and built a church. Later he organized and built a church at Corvallis. He retired in 1894, making his home at Berkeley, Cal.

Washington Postmasters Confirmed. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 10.—The State today confirmed the nominations of the following Washington postmasters: Robert Montgomery, Puyallup; Harlan E. Croft, Bothell; Archibald C. Cameron, Mercer; C. G. Thomas, Cleelum; A. J. Peters, Deer Park; Martin E. Sprague, Ilwaco; Howard W. Hare, Mabton; Fyvie, Sumner.

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HEIRS PROTEST TAX RAISE. Penoyer Estate to Contest Inheritance Levy of \$300,000. SALEM, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—State Treasurer Kay having raised the valuation of property belonging to the estate of Sylvester Penoyer from \$87,000 to \$300,000, as a basis for collecting inheritance tax, a hearing will be given by the Multnomah County Court next Monday.

IDAHO WILL SELL TIMBER. State to Dispose of 12,240 Acres in Boise Basin. BOISE, Idaho, July 10.—The Idaho Land Board has decided to offer for sale 12,240 acres of valuable timber in the Boise basin. The timber will be

NEW COMMISSION FACING HANDICAP

Late Administration Left Few Funds With Which to Conduct Business.

UNPAID BALANCES REMAIN

More Than Half of Year's Funds Expended During First Six Months and Much of Cash Left is Covered by Contracts.

W. M. C. A. STUDENT APPOINTED DEPUTY ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR.

Walter M. Evans. Passing the civil service examination 10 per cent higher than his nearest competitor in a class of ten, Walter M. Evans has been appointed deputy electrical inspector. Mr. Evans is a student of the electrical department of the Young Men's Christian Association. Two years ago he entered the association school after completing the eighth grammar grade. Working days and attending classes evenings, he has made rapid progress in his vocation, but will continue his studies another year, while in the city's service, completing the Y. M. C. A. course.

Frequently men who are working and attending evening school make more rapid progress than men who devote all their time to their education," said R. C. French, educational director. "No young man who is attending on a technical calling can afford to settle down contentedly without some practical training in his school. The men who are going to work evenings to increase their ability are the ones who receive promotions."

road will be extended north about 20 miles and tap the holdings of the Payette Lumber Company.

CONSUL WILL BE HOST

JAPANESE VISITOR TO BE HONORED AT BANQUET. Toasts to Emperor and President of United States Will Be Drunk Tonight.

Toasts to the Emperor of Japan and the President of the United States will be drunk tonight at a banquet at the Portland Hotel, given by Morizo Idem, Japanese consul, in honor of Dr. Juichi Soyeda, who is in America as the representative of the Tokio Chamber of Commerce. The banquet begins at 7:30 and will be attended by men prominent in the official and commercial life of Portland. Consul Idem will act as toastmaster, and the first toast proposed will be one to the President by Mr. Ida. William D. Wheelwright will respond to a toast to the Emperor.

Other speakers will be Mayor Albee, Edgar B. Fisher, president of the Commercial Club; ex-Senator F. W. Mulkey, representing President Averell, of the Chamber of Commerce, who is out of the city; M. S. Seida, a prominent Portland Japanese merchant and importer; William D. Wheelwright, president of the Pacific Export Lumber Company, which does a large business with the Orient, and Dr. Juichi Soyeda, guest of honor.

Dr. Soyeda arrived in San Francisco May 25 and, with T. K. Kamaya, of the Tokio Chamber of Commerce, went to Washington, and conferred with the Secretary of State regarding the California anti-land bill. Dr. Soyeda was formerly vice-minister of finance of Japan. With Mr. Kamaya he will be the guest of the Automobile Club at luncheon tomorrow at the Chamber of Commerce.

MILWAUKIE, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—The committee which is working to secure the location of the Beaver State Motor Company's plant here reports progress. F. B. Harvey offers the use of a 6-acre tract for 20 years for the site, and something more than \$12,000 has been subscribed to the stock of the company. Members of the committee reported that they feel confident of completing within the requirements of the company and that Milwaukie will get the factory.

CHAPMAN VIEWS PROJECTS. Portland Commercial Club Official Feted at Echo. ECHO, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—C. C. Chapman, secretary of the Portland Commercial Club, was here Monday investigating the Western Umatilla project and also to look into the feasibility of the Teel and Paradise irrigation projects.

Pratt City Paper Sold. PRAIRIE CITY, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—The Grant County Journal, formerly the Prairie City Miner, has again changed ownership. The Gilham brothers having taken the paper over from John Jolly. This makes the third ownership of the paper within a year. Jesse Allen having purchased it last August, and Mr. Jolly having taken it in December. It is the purpose of the new owners to improve the plant.

ASHLAND SHIPS PEACHES. ASHLAND, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—Mayflower peaches, the first of the season to be marketed in this vicinity, were sold here on July 7 and shipments to Portland were made on the same date. Alexander in quantity will follow in the season as the present spell of warm weather is putting the finishing touches on the fruit.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS. Births. SCHUYLER—To the wife of Benjamin Griffin Schuyler, 2nd wife, June 10, a son. HILL—To the wife of William Vassar Hill, 397 Cleveland avenue, July 6, a son. HILL—To the wife of J. Russell Hill, 576 East Morrison street, July 2, a daughter. JENSEN—To the wife of A. M. Jensen, 212 Cherry street, July 2, a daughter. LANGOUIS—To the wife of Charles P. Langouis, 108 Highland Court, July 7, a daughter. SKINNER—To the wife of John Calvin Skinner, 1329 Sandy Road, July 2, a son. GUNDERSON—To the wife of H. A. Gunderson, 78 1/2 Michigan avenue, July 3, a daughter. BASSA—To the wife of Joseph Danna, 747 Tibbets street, July 2, a daughter. SINCLAIR—To the wife of LeRoy Sinclair, 3204 East 81st street, July 2, a son. BAINES—To the wife of Edward John Baines, 2500 East Eighty-second street, July 2, a daughter. BLITT—To the wife of Arnold I. Blitt,

WILLAMETTE BOULEVARD PROJECT FAVORED.

Opponents Favor Maryland Avenue Route for Shortening Time from Peninsula.

EXTENSION IS URGED

Property owners at a mass meeting held last night at Arbor Lodge on the new extension was to gain the extension of the Willamette boulevard from Killingsworth avenue and Burage street to a connection with Goldsmith street in Lower Albina. Arthur W. Lawrence presided.

W. C. Alderson said the purpose of the new extension was to gain a short route by streetcar to the Broadway bridge and save at least 15 minutes' time. He said that the highest grade would be graduated downward and that the damage for opening the boulevard would be about \$140,000.

It is shown that during the first six months, in the majority of cases, more than half of the year's fund was expended, leaving the small end of the fund to be used by the new administration.

In addition to the balance shown there must be deducted from several of the funds amounts which have been contracted for and which will have to be paid but which are not shown in the balances made June 30. These items are not shown, because warrants have not been issued for their payment.

The following table shows the standing of the funds with the expenditures during the first six months of this year and the balance on hand at the end of the first six months, and the balance on hand June 30, 1913, indicated:

Table with columns: Fund, Expenses, Balance. Rows include Fire Department, Police Department, Interest fund, Street repair fund, Park fund, Special bridge fund, General sinking fund, Redemptory fund, sprinkling, Water fund, and Park and boulevard.

Contracts Cover Much Cash. From the balances in several of the funds must be taken amounts which have been expended by contract but for which payment has not been authorized. In this list will be large deductions from the park and boulevard funds and the police and fire funds particularly.

The Commission is handicapped by being unable to finance new city projects at the low rate of interest resulting from the expenditures during the first six months of this year. It will be felt not only between now and the first of the year but also next year because there will not be the usual balances of funds at the end of the year to apply to the funds for next year.

ELKS' FISH BEING CAUGHT. Fifteen Hundred to Be Prepared for Eugene Lodge's Picnic. EUGENE, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—Expert fishermen are busy catching fish for the Eugene Elks' Annual Picnic, which is to be held on the banks of the McKenzie River Sunday, July 20. As far as extra land is concerned, the fish, which is to be held on the banks of the McKenzie River Sunday, July 20. As far as extra land is concerned, the fish, which is to be held on the banks of the McKenzie River Sunday, July 20.

DIO E. MEIKLE IS BURIED. Lodge Conducts Funeral of Former Commission Merchant. The funeral services of Dio E. Meikle, a former commission merchant of this city doing business on Front street, who died at his home, 158 East Twelfth street, on Wednesday, July 10, were conducted yesterday from Lerch's Chapel, East Sixth street, under the auspices of Hawthorne Lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F., and the Odd Fellows Chapter, No. 14, O. E. S.; the Oregon Commercial Club, and the Masonic lodge at the grave.

SALEM, Or., July 10.—(Special.)—H. E. Parsons, Supervisor of Schools in Polk County, probably has established a new record for long travel for Supervisor. He has traveled 3899 miles. Much of the distance was covered on foot by horse and buggy. The Supervisor made 212 visits to schools and averaged two hours each visit. There are 48 schools in the county.

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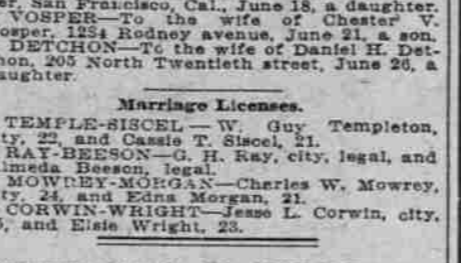
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WOOD WOULD SAVE. City Invites Competition in All Purchases of Supplies.

SEASIDE HONORS JULY 13. Fourth Celebration Is Delayed Nine Days at Beach.

REQUISITIONS MUST HAVE APPROVAL OF DEPARTMENT HEADS, COMMISSIONER BREWSTER, PURCHASING AGENT, THEN GO TO AUDITOR.

PORTLAND'S GAIN \$100,000. Chinese "Herb Specialist" May Face Manslaughter Charge.

DEATH TO BE INVESTIGATED. Following his arrest at the instigation of the State Board of Medical Examiners on charge of practicing medicine without a license, it was announced last night that a charge of manslaughter may be preferred against Dr. Wing Lee, a Chinese "herb specialist" at 119 1/2 First street.

REV. JAMES CROSMAN DIES. At 91 Years Father of A. B. Crosman, of Portland, Passes Away.

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MURDER OF IDAHOAN CHARGED TO NEPHEW.

BROTHER OF ACCUSED MAN GIVES DAMAGING TESTIMONY AT PRELIMINARY HEARING.

LEWISTON, Idaho, July 10.—(Special.)—James Dearing must stand trial before the District Court of Idaho County on a charge of murdering his nephew, George Dearing, who was shot and killed near Grangeville on June 19, according to a decision rendered in a preliminary hearing at Grangeville today.

The most damaging testimony was that of the defendant's brother, Jack Dearing, who testified that on the afternoon of the murder he and his brother were in the vicinity of the George Dearing home. They separated and not long after Jack Dearing says he heard a rifle shot. When the brothers later met, James Dearing said he had shot at a deer. This evidence was contradictory to that he gave before the coroner's jury, in which he said that he and his accused brother were together the entire day.

Young Dearing is held without bonds. The American love of the superlative has an amusing illustration in Samuel M. Croft, a Portland physician. Dr. Croft reached a seemingly sleepy little place where he thought to find only quiet and medicine. But when he sat down to write a letter on the hotel table he was confronted with the statement: "This is the biggest little hotel in the state!"

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