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CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER.

PAPER LEGALLY ENTERED.

The man who made it his especial business to run around and tell Councilmen that to publish city notices in the Morning Enterprise did not make the publication legal, volunteering the information that the Morning Enterprise had not been admitted to the full use of the mails, knows about as much about that proposition as a few others he butts in on the city over.

In the first place the Morning Enterprise was admitted to the full privilege of the second class mail service on January 9.

In the second place it doesn't matter whether the paper has ever been entered or not as regarding the legality of notices published in its columns. A paper can be a newspaper of general circulation in the community and not send a paper at pound rates. In truth, four-fifths of the regular circulation of the Morning Enterprise is by carrier and the papers do not go through the mails at any time.

But the Morning Enterprise has been admitted as a second class publication by the Postoffice Department and is enjoying all the privileges of the big city dailies.

Many incubator chicks are killed with kindness by being overfed and kept too warm.

At the Portland Theaters

LAST CAR LEAVES FOR OREGON CITY AT MIDNIGHT



SCENE FROM THE COMEDY, "SEVEN DAYS" AT HEILIG THEATRE. Wagenhals & Kemper will present the comedy hit of the past 20 years, "Seven Days," at the Heilig Theatre, 7th & Taylor streets, for 7 nights, beginning Sunday, February 26. Special price matinee Wednesday and Saturday.

"THE CHRISTIAN" AT BAKER.

Hall Caine's masterpiece to be revived all this week. Starting with the matinee today, Baker Stock Company will be seen all next week in a splendid production of Hall Caine's famous masterpiece, "The Christian," that stands for all that is powerful and thrilling in the world of drama.

time and time again, will of course play it the coming week, with the entire Baker company, which was never as strong before as it now is. In the different interesting parts, created in the master mind of Hall Caine, the prolific writer of original fiction, matinees will be given Wednesday and Saturday.

"SEVEN DAYS" AT HEILIG.

Screamingly Funny Comedy This Week at Leading Theatre. "Seven Days," the comedy by Mary Roberts Rhinehart and Avery Hopwood, which comes to the Heilig for a week's engagement, starting Sun-

laughing success the American stage has ever known. New York laughed at it for two years, at the Astor Theatre. Then Chicago fell in line, and for six months at the Illinois Theatre patrons howled themselves into hysterics. Now Portland will have her fling.

In the cast will be seen Aubrey Beattie, Edward Longman, Ben F. Wilson, F. S. Barrett, William Wadsworth, Jack Sheehan, Madeline Winthrop, Margaret Bourne, Jessie McAllister and Florence Robinson.

Of the Ruder Sex. Most of a man's wickedness comes from an evil heart, but a lot of his



At a recent meeting of Council there was a franchise asked of Council for a right of way for an electric line through the streets of Oregon City. The line proposing to build from this city out into the Molalla country. The franchise was read first time and then by vote of Council the ordinance was referred to a special committee composed of Messrs. Meyer, Roake and Andersen, with instructions to report at the next regular meeting of Council, which will be held Wednesday night.

It is perhaps hard to tell what spirit moves men at times, but there is a movement on foot to have the matter taken from the hands of this special committee and referred to the Street and Property committee, which is composed of Messrs. Burke, Roake, Hall and the City Attorney. Who is back of the movement does not show on the surface or why the change is desired no one seems willing to say.

The Street and Alley committee has much to do with the streets, is one claim, and it is wise to have the City Attorney on the committee is another.

50-Word Day Service By W. U. Announcement is made by the Western Union Telegraph Co. that because of the success with which the 50-word night news letter has met the company has decided to institute a similar day service. By the terms of this new service one can send a 50-word message at the cost of one and a half times the regular rate for ten words.

There is no doubt that this will prove a great boon to the business world, and that it will meet with ready response from the man who wishes quick action in affairs of business.

The March-hatched pullets will be the early fall layers.

HARD TIMES PARTY

Makes Money for the Piano Fund of Sunday School.

The hard times party given by the Beta Club at the Congregational church Friday night was a successful affair. Much amusement was caused by the costumes worn, and the first prizes were won by Miss Ivy Roake and Mr. Cooke, and the consolation prizes were won by Bert Roake and C. H. Dye. Refreshments were sold during the evening, those serving were Bert Roake and Mr. Cooke, and Miss Marjorie Money acted as cashier. The result was a neat sum, which will go towards the piano fund.

One of the features of the evening was the musical and literary program, consisting of the following numbers: Solo, Roberta Schuebel; recitation, Sammy McLarty; recitation, William McLarty; solo, Miss Ivy Roake; selection by the Buttinski Orchestra, composed of Mrs. Y. Harris, Miss Ivy Roake, Vern Roake, Albert Roake, Herbert Harris.

The young folks giving the entertainment are now planning a St. Patrick's entertainment on March 17.

meanness comes from a bad liver.—Boston Transcript.

Men are apt to worship what they can not understand—women for instance.

Some men are like wheelbarrows—they won't carry anything unless they are pushed.

If there is any crankiness in a man it will generally crop out when he's hungry.

RAISING MAINE "GAMBLE."

Engineer Says Cost May Be Nearly Million—Appropriation \$300,000.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The total cost of raising the wreck of the battleship Maine, now lying in Havana harbor, is a "gamble," according to Major Cavanaugh, the engineer officer in charge of the work. The cost may be close to \$1,000,000, Major Cavanaugh told the appropriations committee of the House today.

The present appropriation for the undertaking is \$300,000.

TWO SEWERS URGENT.

Claims Made That Something Needs to Be Done Soon.

People living on Eighteenth street want a sewer—at least a part of them want one. To that end a petition was put in circulation and subscribers secured asking Council to put one there. But in some way the petition has become lost and the work must now be done over again if the sewer is to be built.

Also a number of people on Taylor street are insistent that they be given a sewer. The claim is made that that section of the city is one in which a sewer is an ever-present necessity.

Council has in mind to do all the improving possible within the next few years, but naturally the portions showing the greater needs must be taken up first.

SECOND INVITATION RECEIVED.

Baptist Church Would Have Old Soldiers Meet With Them.

In addition to the invitation from St. Paul's Episcopal church, to attend services at that church on Decoration Day, the G. A. R. Post has received an invitation from the Baptist church for the same occasion. The invitation for the Episcopal church has reference to the services at the morning hour of service, and that at the Baptist church for the evening hour. This being the case it is possible the Post may accept both invitations and attend services twice on that day.

Charges Husband With Drunkenness. Bernice A. Warren today filed suit in the Circuit Court against George C. Warren for a decree of divorce. They were married at Oregon City April 27, 1901, and have one son, aged eight years. Mrs. Warren charges her husband with having become a gross and habitual drunkard and asks for the custody of their child. She is represented by Attorney Gordon E. Hayes.

SPECIAL MEETING TUESDAY.

Gladstone Council to Further Consider its Water Works Plans. Gladstone Council will meet in special session next Tuesday evening to

HEILIG THEATRE

7th & Taylor Streets. Phones Main 1 and A-1122.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY 26, 3 to 4:30 o'clock, Third POPULAR SUNDAY AFTERNOON CONCERT. 75-Chorus-75-20 Orchestra-20. Popular Music at Popular Prices—75-50-35-25. Seats now selling at Theatre.

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SEVEN DAYS

Complete New York Cast and Production. Prices—Evenings: \$1.50-1.00-75-50-35-25. Both matinees: \$1.00-75-50-35-25. Seats now selling at theatre.

COMING TO HEILIG THEATRE 5 NIGHTS beginning MONDAY, MARCH 6, Special Price Matinees Wednesday and Saturday, Lew Field's Spectacular Musical Production

THE MIDNIGHT SONS

Seat Sale Opens Friday, March 3.

ABERNETHY GRANGE HAS ALL-DAY MEET

JUDGE DIMICK, CAPT. APPERSON AND PROF. TOOZE THE SPEAKERS FOR THE OCCASION.

Abernethy Grange met at the Grange Hall on Saturday. The meeting was an all-day affair and was attended by many members of the organizations. Judge G. B. Dimick, master of the Grange, presided. At the morning session business of importance was brought up for discussion, and at noon a delicious hot dinner prepared by the women of the Grange, was partaken of by all.

Following the dinner hour the afternoon was devoted to addresses, and Judge Dimick's subject was concerning the taxes and agriculture. Mr. Dimick's address was greatly appreciated by his hearers. He talked on the proper methods of agriculture and criticized the methods pursued by a large number of the farmers of Clackamas county, for the reason that they were not making their farms as profitable as they should. Judge Dimick was followed by Captain J. T. Apperson, who talked on the origin of the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, and its development, beginning at its early history, and compared each step of progress it has made. Prof. Tooze, of the Oregon City schools, also gave a talk at this meeting, his subject being "Public Schools, and what should be taught."

roses and joy of life. "Seven Days," according to the judgment of Messrs. Wagenhals & Kemper, had all the elements required to meet the situation, and when it was produced, the public and the press, with unusual unanimity, cordially agreed with them. The enthusiastic verdict of the first night has not been repeated. "Seven Days" still stands as the greatest

subject of taxation and assessment will be thoroughly discussed, and the master, as well as the members invite all those interested. Single tax will also be discussed. There will be many talks on this subject.

C. Kraft, of Shubel, was in Oregon City Saturday. He recently purchased the property belonging to Mrs. Clara Smith. The latter is having an attractive bungalow built on the plank road, Richard Schoenborn having charge of the construction.

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Garage on Fifth Street

BETWEEN MAIN AND S. P. R. R.

further the cause of the new water works system for that city. It is expected that there will be a report from the water works machinery company of Portland that is figuring as to what the new water system will cost and

when it can be installed, and other data that the Council will have before it acts in the matter.

As the weather is still cold, more than eleven eggs should be on a hen. When a larger number are allowed, the eggs are not so covered, and those on the outside of the clutch are likely to be chilled.

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