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LOCAL BRIEFS

Dr. J. A. van Brakle, licensed osteopathic physician, 806 Washington... Miss Mildred Kruse, teacher in the Blind School at Salem, arrived in this city Friday evening...

is in Oregon City, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cooke, the latter being her sister.

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Mrs. Howard Latourette, of Portland, arrived in this city Friday afternoon and is the guest of Mr. Latourette's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Latourette.

Earl Latourette, who has been in this city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Latourette, will leave this evening for Eugene...

Life, Health, Happiness is the message that Prof. E. Irving, teacher and lecturer in the New Practical Psychology, brings to suffering humanity...

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Greenman, of Bonneville, arrived here Friday and will spend Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. C. N. Greenman...

Professor Irving writes that he will give a Free Parlor Lecture here in Oregon City by request, explaining how and why sickness is so easily cured without medicine...

Mrs. H. Tucker, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Waldron near Clackamas Heights, left Friday for Deep River, Wash., where she will join her husband...

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heylman, of Estacada, were among the Oregon City visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Casto, of Casus, were among the Oregon City visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel and son, of Clarkes, were in this city Friday.

F. H. Smith, of Aberdeen, Wash., was in Oregon City on business Thursday.

Theodore Eggers, of Tacoma, Wash., was in this city Thursday and Friday, registering at the Electric Hotel.

R. N. Kohlman, of Portland, representing the Jacobs-Stine Company of Portland, was in this city on business Friday.

Mrs. Charles Springer, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hamlin, in this city for the past week returned to her home in Portland Thursday evening.

Mrs. L. T. Harris, of Eugene, formerly Miss Jennie Beattie of this city.



EVENING GOWN OF MESSALINE

A gracefully draped evening gown of violet messaline was the original of the above drawing. The material is used on the left side of the bodice only, the right shoulder being crossed by a broad band of embroidery in shades of violet which was bordered with gilt fringe...

FOR WEE TOTS.

Children's Millinery More Charming Than Ever This Winter.

Many of the children's hats in white beaver or rabbit skin have high pointed crowns.

Wreaths in new forms are the favorite trimming for hats of this sort.



NOVEL GUMBLE FROCK.

Malden hair fern intertwined with a few tiny ribbon flowers makes a very dainty wreath.

Another charming novelty is a wreath of convolvulus in delicate pink and blue, with the edges just tipped with gold. Dull gold flowers are worn by some children, and a couple of large pink ribbon roses set up at the side of the hat replace the wreath on one model of rabbit.

The gumble frock is always one of the prettiest that young children can wear. Here is one that is quite novel, for it is trimmed in an unusual manner, while the simplicity of the style is retained.

This May Manton pattern is cut in sizes for children of four, six and eight years of age. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number, 725, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail. If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage, which insures more prompt delivery. When ordering use coupon.

Form with fields for Name, Address, and Size.

BITULITHIC STANDS HEAVIEST TRAFFIC

Traffic-Census Taken on Fifth Street, Heaviest Traffic Street in Portland, Substantiates Assertion

In connection with any subject, accurate figures not only establish the facts in the last analysis, but they lend interest through their very illumination. It is therefore interesting, and, it may be accepted also by the open-minded as conclusive also, to record here the result of a traffic census, which has come to the notice of local people, taken on Fifth street, one of the busiest thoroughfares in Portland's business district, last Wednesday. The census figures are vouchered for by the parties taking them, and serve to substantiate the claim that Bitulithic will stand the heaviest of traffic, at a maintenance cost amounting to practically nothing during long terms of years. The Bitulithic on the stated street in Portland was laid in 1905, seven years ago, and official records of that municipality show that the maintenance cost has been practically nil.

The traffic census follows, as taken last Wednesday during that day's business hours:

A total of 2,605 vehicles passed the census-taker, by careful and actual count. There were 337 one-half ton loads; 504 one-ton; 274 two and one-half ton; 218 two ton; 202 two and one-half ton; 193 three ton; 133 three and one-half ton; 142 four ton; 56 four and one-half ton; 76 five ton, and 71 five and one-half ton loads, all included in the foregoing total of 2,605 vehicles.—Olympian.

Long Lived Fish.

Eels have been known to live in captivity sixty years, salmon are said to live in healthy condition 100 years, carp occasionally reach 150, and pike have been known to enjoy an even longer span of life.

Principals in Production of "Mona," New American Opera



"Mona," the new grand opera which won the \$10,000 prize offered by the Metropolitan Opera company for the best work by an American composer and librettist, is regarded by some critics as having for its motive the condemnation of the "new woman," somewhat as Maeterlinck's "Arlene et Barbe Bleue" was thought to be a satire on the suffragists. "Mona," however, is a tragedy, whereas the other opera may almost be called a comedy. The scene of the new piece is laid in ancient Britain, although both collaborators are Americans, Professor Horatio W. Parker, the composer, being a native of Massachusetts and dean of the Yale Music school and Brian Hooker, the librettist, a New Yorker. Mr. Hooker's first poetic effort to attract wide attention was the Yale prize song, "Mother of Men." The title part in the New York production of the opera was sung by Mme. Louise Homer, one of the most popular of American grand opera singers. The Metropolitan Opera company has no American conductor, and the honor of directing the production from the orchestra pit went to an Austrian, Alfred Hertz, while the general direction is, of course, in the hands of the Italian manager of the opera company, Giulio Gatti-Casazza.

LEAP YEAR DANCE IS WELL ATTENDED

The leap year party given by several young people of this city and Professor M. M. Ringler was an enjoyable affair. The music which was furnished by the Falls City orchestra, was fine. Refreshments were served. Among those in attendance were Misses Irene Hanny, Adah Mass, Wynne Hanny, Dolly Pratt, Francis Brownell, May Erickson, Fred Martin, Hazel Cole, Ruby McCord, Lella Moreland, Edith Jackson, Lillie Balmer, E. Levitt, Hazel Tooze, Marie Margrove, Miss Baker, Hilda Forsberg, Sedonia Shaw, Messrs. Joe Hodges, Allice Levitt, Carl Larsen, Thomas Sinnott, John Busch, Edward Busch, Milton Price, John Beattie, Kent Moody, Joe Justin, Alvin Lindahl, Ralph Parker, Charles Parker, Mahlon Saldow, Burd Tompkins, Gerald Warner, Arthur Farr, Owen Moore, Victor Myers, Ernest Mass, Jr., Charles Holmes and Marshal J. Lazelle.

E. H. COOPER HONORED BY PRESBYTERIANS

Rev. J. R. Landsborough, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and E. H. Cooper, who have been in Portland attending the Portland Presbytery, have returned to Oregon City. The meeting which was convened Tuesday was held in the Westminster Presbyterian church on the West Side and was largely attended. Mr. Cooper was appointed as an alternate to the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, which will be held at Louisville, Ky., May 16.

FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

STREET CLEANING Morning Enterprise: To the Editor:—As the subject of a clean city is now being agitated, I would like to give you and the public the opinion of one, who has the health and welfare of this city at heart.

I do not believe there is half as much danger of disease to our citizens from the little refuse that collects in the back yards of residences, as there is from the filth that arises on our Main street, fanned into a cloud by the cars rushing along at a fifteen mile clip, and the automobiles pulverizing twenty miles an hour. The way in which Main street is swept is a farce. If the street committee would take the trouble to walk along the Main street early in the morning during a dry time, they would see how nicely the topdressing has been swept up, and the bulk of filth nicely pulverized, ready to be lifted into a cloud by the first car. The money that is paid out for night sweeping is money thrown away, so far as any benefit to the city is concerned. The sweeper cannot see the filth, in the center of the blocks. The proper time to sweep streets, is the day time when a man can see the filth. If the city would adopt the plan of day sweeping, and have the men, or men, commence at seven or eight o'clock in the morning and work all day, and PUSH THEIR BROOM, (not pull it) and work back and forth, and take up all droppings, we would soon have a clean Main street, and one that would be kept clean, and again as regards sprinkling with the hose, we are all taxed \$2 a year for sprinkling which is entirely useless for the reason that while merchants sprinkle in front of their stores to protect their goods, the residence people let the street go dry, so that the cars sweep the dust along for three of four weeks, filling stores and houses, with disease breeding filth.

Ancient Nursing Bottles.

According to recent discoveries it appears that nursing bottles were used even in prehistoric times. This is true at least for the age of polished stone, inasmuch as a French archaeologist, M. Nicaise, when exploring a neolithic funeral deposit, found a small clay nursing bottle, and this was quite intact. This is not the only specimen of the kind which comes from the early ages. Among others are the specimens found in the Gaulish burial places of Jonchery and more recently in the Gallo-Roman area of Paris. This latter relic of ancient babyhood was uncovered with a comparatively late period.

The Past as a Lesson. The past, even our past, is nothing, except as we, quickened by its examples, instructed by its experience, warned by its voices, assisted by its accumulated instrumentality, shall reproduce it in the life of today. Its once busy existence, various sensations, fiery trials, dear bought triumphs; its dynasty of heroes, all its pulses of joy and anguish and hope and fear and love and praise, are with the years beyond the flood. "The sleeping and the dead are but as pictures." Yet, gazing on these long and intently and often, we may pass into the likeness of the departed—may emulate their labors and partake of their immortality.—Rufus Choate.

Coming! Coming! Cooper Bros.

Great Wild West Show

Grandest and Most Spectacular Arenic Performance Which Stands Without a Peer, Will appear in Oregon City, Oregon Wednesday, Apr. 24 Wonderful Troups of Star Artists in Dare-Devil, Death Defying Feats of Horsemanship, Rope Throwing, Sharpshooting, Cowboys, Outlaw Horses, Wild Steers, in Realistic and Sensational Scenes, Depicting Early Life on the Western Frontier. TWO BIG PERFORMANCES, AFTERNOON AND EVENING. COWBOY BAND STREET PARADE. High Class and Moral in Every Respect.

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Sale Dates April 25, 26, 27 J y. 2, 3, 6, 7, 11, 12, 15, 16, May 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 14, 20, 22, 23, 26, 29, 30, 31, 15, 17, 18, 24, 29 August 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 12, 15, 16, June 1 6 7 8 13 14 15 17 18 22 23 29 30 31, 19 20 21 24 25 27 28 29 Sept. 4 5 6 7 8 11 12 30 Imperial Council Mystic Shrine, Los Angeles, April 30 to May 4th Newpr -- Yaquina Bay

The New P. R. & N. Beaches

Tillamook, Garibaldi (Bayesian), Tillamook, Garibaldi (Bayesian), Lake Lytle, Ocean Lake Park, Twin Rocks, Tillamook Beach and Bay City will open a new field for a summer outing. Low round trip fares from all points in Oregon. Call on our nearest Agent for full information as to East Bound Excursion fares, routes, stop-overs, etc., or write to JOHN M. SCOTT, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon Eat California Raisins. Raisin Day April 30th.

After the Minnow Comes the Whale Wait For the Big Show You All Know

Will Exhibit at Oregon City, Monday April 29th ONE DAY Two Performances at 2 and 8 p. m. AL. G BARNES Big 3-Ring Wild Animal CIRCUS 350 Animal Actors 350 52 groups of savage beasts in heart thrilling acts. 150 ponies, dogs, apes, merry clowns, and a host of novel features all new. Free street parade at 10:30 a. m. 3 Bands, Special Trains RAIN OR SHINE Oregon City, Monay, April 29th

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PORTLAND WINS IN SLUGGING MATCH

PORTLAND, April 19, (Special).—The Beavers struck their stride today, winning from San Francisco, 7 to 4. Gilligan pitched a fairly good game although he allowed 12 hits. The Beavers made 14 off Toney. Portland made three in the fourth as follows: Rapps singled; Lindsey singled; Bancroft safe on fielder's choice, sacrificing Lindsey and Rapps; Howley doubled to right, scoring Rapps and Lindsey; Gilligan out, Toney to Jackson; Chadbourne safe on fielder's choice; Howley and Chadbourne pulled off a double steal, Howley scoring; Rodgers singled and stole second; Doane out, Mohler to Jackson.

JUDGING OTHERS. Let us cultivate charity in judging; let us seek to draw out latent good in others rather than to discover hidden evil.

A Cold Welcome. A clergyman in a small town was deploring the fact that none of the couples that came in from the country to be married stopped at his house for the purpose. "Well, brother," said the man addressed, "what can you expect with that big sign on the tree there, 'Five Dollars Fine For Hitching Here?'" Youth's Companion.

Baseball AT PORTLAND RECREATION PARK Cor. Vaughn and Twenty-fourth Sts. SAN FRANCISCO VS. PORTLAND April 16, 17, 18, 19, 29, 21. Games Begin Weekdays at 3:30 p. m. Sunday at 2:30 p. m. LADIES DAY FRIDAY Boys under 12 Free to Bleachers Wednesday.

NOT EXPENSIVE Treatment at Hot Lake, including medical attention, board and baths, costs no more than you would pay to live at any first class hotel. Rooms can be had from 75 cents to \$2.50 per day. Meats in the cafeteria are served from 20 cents up and in the grill at the usual grill price. Baths range from 50 cents to \$1.00.

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