

Concert-Recital at Gladstone

Thursday evening, May 29, the people of Gladstone and vicinity will be offered a great treat in the nature of a concert to be given by Mrs. N. M. Stevenson, of Portland, assisted by Miss Alice Johnson and Miss Vera Kitchen, at the "Church of Christ."

His Experience.



Pension Officer—Well, Michael, so you're living yet? Michael (aged seventy-five)—"Deed, an' I am, sor, an' I always notice that any year I don't die in March I don't die at all that year.—Punch.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. E. B. Anderson is visiting relatives at Logan. Henry Roberts was a county seat visitor Wednesday. George Carnahan, of Portland, was in town Wednesday.

PITCHER FLAHERTY'S QUICK DELIVERY PUZZLED MANY.

Habit Robinson tells a story on Pat Flaherty's quick delivery. "Fred Hostetter was at the bat," said Habit, "and Flaherty was pitching. You know Pat has a famous quick delivery, and Hostetter was nearly crazed when Pat slipped three over the plate before Fred could get his bat off his shoulder. Pat was so quick with the strikeout that the boy on the score board couldn't hang up but one strike, and when Hostetter went to the bench some one called his attention to the fact that there was but one strike on him. Well, Fred was sore about striking out anyhow, and when he saw but one strike on the board he went back and tried to argue with the umpire. The result of his argument was just the same as all foolish arguments, and Fred was promptly chased from the game."

BIG PRICE FOR KONETCHY.

Pittsburgh Club Said to Be Willing to Give \$25,000 For St. Louis Player. Baseball players come high, especially those who have become famous. It is said on good authority that the Pittsburgh club recently offered \$25,000 and two players to the St. Louis team for big Ed Konetchy, the Cardinals' star first sacker. During the winter months



Photo by American Press Association.

CHARACTER STUDY OF ED KONETCHY.

The Pittsburgh club tried hard to land Konetchy, but the deal did not go through. The Pirates have a fine chance to cop the batting in the National league this season. With Koney on the initial station Pittsburgh would be almost assured of the flag Miller, who is holding down the bag, is only fair. With a star like the St. Louis boy on first base the Pirates would be greatly strengthened. Konetchy is considered one of the best men that ever held down the bag. Besides being a great first sacker he is a fine hitter.

THIRTEEN CLUB SHOULD WIN.

Star Lineup Could Be Picked From Material. Lucky would be the magnate who could secure for his team those players who happen to have been born on the alleged unlucky date of the 13th. Said magnate probably would by the middle of the season be making preparations to enlarge the seating capacity of his park, for from the players whose birthdays fall on the hoodoo date a world's championship combination could almost be picked.

SPECIAL NOTICE

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SOME SPICY SPORT CHATS

Ban Johnson's Plan to Shorten Baseball Game.

HOW WILL IT PAN OUT?

New Rule Concerning the Retrieving of Foul Balls by Players is Dangerous Undertaking—Pittsburgh Needs Wagner—Other Notes.

By TOMMY CLARK.

Byron Bancroft Johnson, president of the American league, is making audacious efforts to shorten the baseball game this season. He has come to realize that the many Americans would rather see nine fast innings played in one hour and thirty minutes than the same number of periods dragged out to two hours and over. It has been argued that the teams which consumed the greater amount of time to play were the "inside workmen." That they mapped out their attack and defense better and did not trust to the old style slugging game. That has always appeared absurd to the writer. When any of the shrewd managers make up their minds to switch from the bit and run to the sacrifice they do not have to go into the office of the club to decide upon the change. No; the trouble has been that the players loathe it. It is said that President Johnson is going to stop the retrieving of foul balls by players. That is a dangerous undertaking. There will be too much opportunity for the substitution of old or new balls, as the occasion demands. The umpire cannot possibly keep track of them. The thing to do is to force the players to keep on the move. Fine them if they loaf needlessly.

"If I had as much money invested in a baseball plant as some major league magnates have," says Fred Clarke, manager of the Pirates, "I would put up a building equipped for training at home and dispense with these spring trips to the south, enabling the players to get out into the open air on good days. I regard the plan as entirely feasible, and I expect to live to see the day when some club owner will try it."

Pittsburgh is conceded to have an excellent chance to win the National league pennant this year. Ever since the last season closed the Pirates have figured a prime contender in the present campaign, and yet all calculations may be upset by reason of the injury which has befallen Hans Wagner, who is suffering with a bad leg. The Pirates without Wagner would hardly have a chance to be more than



HANS WAGNER PICKING UP HIS FAVORITE BAT

prominent in the race. With him fit and playing regularly they have a good chance. A player of Wagner's ability makes a great difference in a ball team, and it is needless to say that Pittsburgh cannot boast of a player who can take his place.

There promises to be an invasion of England by American professional runners this year. William Queal, who is considered one of the champions on this side of the water, has already made a match with George Dinning, the English professional, who beat him in the last Powder hall fifteen mile race, for a ten mile race at Edinburgh at \$1,000 a side. William Kolehmainen, the Polish runner who recently joined the American ranks, will sail later to compete in a half mile handicap at Cardiff, Wales, for one of the richest purses ever offered at this distance. Harvey Cohn has also arranged to compete. Hans Holmer, another American, will also appear this season in English races.

Michigan Students Active in Sport. A total of 1,156 Michigan university students took part in sports last year.

Did the Best She Could. "Hang it all, Helen, didn't you promise to be at the altar to love, honor and obey me?" "Yes, dear."

"And didn't I positively forbid you to pay more than \$25 for a new hat?" "Yes, dear; but I found I simply could not love or honor you if I obeyed you."—Fun.

Shoeing Horses. The art of shoeing horses to protect their hoofs against the evils of hard usage was unknown to the Greeks and Romans, and is first mentioned in the history of the Celts as late as the fifth century.

Going Away for the Summer?

Whatever your good fortune may be this summer—whether your vacation be long or short, expensive or economical, you should begin now to settle all the perplexing questions of where to go and what to wear. Let THE ENTERPRISE help you.

Our advertisers tell you all about mountain, field, and stream, and the countless attractions of the season. Their advertisements and special fashion articles tell you what to wear to be comfortably and properly clothed.

We know of more than one enterprising family whose vacation time was made up of the most remarkable "criminals" ever known in this part of the country. He has a long record of crime and is known to have committed at least four murders.

PRODUCE MARKET HOLDS FIRM TONE

State strawberries are bringing from \$3 to \$3.50 a crate in Portland markets, and are finding a good demand. Most of the fruit offered is from Eastern Oregon and Washington, Willamette valley berries not yet having developed much strength. California berries are still being offered, but have neither the appearance nor the flavor of the local fruit, and are finding only a weak demand.

Eggs are about the same. Portland is getting poor quality, and outside stores are obtaining the best stock. Poultrymen are still selling to consumers direct, and seem to find this method a paying proposition. Portland prices are at 20 and 21 cents a dozen.

Asparagus is being offered heavily, but the price is holding around the dollar mark. String beans are lower, ranging from 10 to 12 cents. New potatoes are holding firm at from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 cents. No market for old spuds is to be found.

Lettuce is being offered plentifully, but is not finding many buyers. Most of the salad plants offered are either too hard or lack sweetness. Gooseberries are quoted as low as 5 cents a pound, but are finding but little market, probably because the fruit does not keep.

Livestock, Meats.

BEEF—(Live weight) steers 7 and 8c; cows 6 and 7 c, bulls 4 to 6c.

MUTTON—Sheep 5 to 6 1-2; lambs 6 to 6 1-2c.

VEAL—Calves 12c to 13c dressed, according to grade.

WEINIES—15c lb; sausage, 15c lb.

PORK—9 1-2 and 10c.

POULTRY—(buying)—Hens 12 to 13c. Stags slow at 10c; old roosters 8c; broilers 22c.

Fruits

APPLES—50c and \$1.

DRY FRUITS—(Buying), Prunes on basis 4 for 35 to 40c.

VEGETABLES

POTATOES—\$1.00 sack.

POTATOES—About 25 to 30c f. o. b. shipping points per hundred; again staggant and not moving at any price.

Butter, Eggs.

BUTTER—(Eating), Ordinary country butter 20 to 25c; fancy cream-

EGGS—Oregon ranch case count 16c; Oregon ranch candled 18c.

Prevailing Oregon City prices are as follows:

HIDES—(Buying) Green salted, 9c to 10c; sheep pelts 75c to \$1.50 each.

Mohair—3 1/2c.

WOOL—15 to 16c.

FEED—(Selling)—Shorts \$29; bran \$27; process barley, \$30.50 to \$31.50 per ton.

FLOUR—\$4.50 to \$5.

OATS—\$28.50; wheat, 93 cents oil meal selling \$38.00; Shay Brook dairy feed \$1.30 per hundred pounds. Whole corn \$31.00.

HAY—(Buying)—Clover at \$8 and \$9; oat hay best \$11 and \$12; mixed \$9 to \$11; valley timothy \$12 to \$13; selling alfalfa \$13.50 to \$17; Idaho and Eastern Oregon timothy selling \$20.50 to \$23.

FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

Denial By Mr. Smith. MACKSBURG, May 28.—(Editor Enterprise)—I read in The Enterprise an article on the recall meeting at Needy, in which my name is connected, that I wish to state in an unqualified false in every particular, so far as I am concerned or connected, and I ask you to publish this denial.

I would state that I do not live in Needy precinct, have not been there in many months, had not signed or circulated a recall petition; could not be a road supervisor in that precinct if appointed; would not take the appointment in my own district of it was handed to me in a frame, and I was not even present at the meeting. I would further ask that The Enterprise confine itself to the truth so far as I am concerned hereafter, and not drag me in with a string of utterly false and absurd statements.

The people are more interested in the recall charges than in the false statements about me. Let The Enterprise defend the charges of Mr. Olds and others, and if it cannot, then I would suggest that it at least confine itself to a few truths, so that the statements might be given a little credit.

If The Enterprise knows any truths about me that are deserving of criticism, then it may put me on the roaster. If I have ever done anything in political or business affairs to be ashamed of, I have forgotten it, and would like the public to do likewise. J. W. SMITH.

NORTH CAROLINA DENTISTS

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., May 28.—Leaders of the dental profession in all parts of North Carolina rallied here today for the thirty-ninth annual meeting of their state association. The proceedings begin tonight and will continue over Thursday and Friday. The officers in charge of the meeting are, President R. G. Sherrill, of Raleigh, Vice-President J. A. Sinclair, of Asheville, Treasurer R. M. Morrow, of Burlington, and Secretary J. A. Martin, of Raleigh.

"MAN TIGER" DIES AT FOLSOM SOON

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 28.—After staying his execution for more than five years, by availing himself of every legal technicality and every court, Jake Oppenheimer, "the criminal of the century," will be executed at Folsom prison within the next two weeks unless the governor intervenes and commutes the sentence. Oppenheimer, whose ferocity and murderous tendencies have gained for him the name of "Man Tiger" and have made him the terror of guards and prisoners alike, is considered one of the most remarkable "criminals" ever known in this part of the country. He has a long record of crime and is known to have committed at least four murders.

Oppenheimer began his career of crime in this city many years ago, when he was employed as a messenger boy for a telegraph company. One day he was discharged by the superintendent and promptly avenged himself by shooting the man. Three years later he was sentenced to 50 years imprisonment for robbing a drug store. A man named Ross testified against him. Oppenheimer was sent to Folsom and later, when Ross was also sent to that institution for some other crime, Oppenheimer awaited him at the prison gate and stabbed him to death.

Some time after that Oppenheimer murdered a guard named McDonald at the prison. As a punishment he was placed in solitary confinement, but obtaining a file and cutting his way out he made a murderous assault on a fellow convict named John Wilson. Wilson, who had died from the effects of his wounds, Oppenheimer was found guilty and was sentenced to death. The execution was set for June 6, 1908, but Oppenheimer, through his counsel, appealed and fought his case through several courts and finally the supreme court of the United States.

While awaiting the decision of the courts, Oppenheimer was kept in strict confinement at the Folsom prison. There he continued his criminal career with unequal cunning and ferocity. In company with two other prisoners, J. W. Finley and Francisco Quijada, Oppenheimer made an attempt to break out of the prison at midnight on January 6, 1910, by sawing the bars of their cell. They would have succeeded had not Night Captain Quigmore detected them sneaking along a corridor. He called several of the guards and subdued the prisoners.

BIG CONVENTION OF DUNKARDS

WARSAW, Ind., May 28.—The yearly conference of the Church of the Brethren, known also as Dunkards and German Baptists opened a ten days' session today at Winona Lake. The gathering is the largest ever accommodated at this resort. It is estimated that there will be 50,000 delegates and visitors present before the end of the week.

Bowels irregular, blood bad, killing headaches poor color, listlessness—Spring fever in your system—drive it out, come to life, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, a bracing, hustling, cleaning medicine. 35c Teas or Tablets. Jones Drug Company.

High School News

At Wednesday assembly Mrs. David Caulfield announced the Juvenile Fair to be held next September, and outlined the prizes that will be offered. Awards of two dollars each will be given for the best displays of manual training work, for the best potatoes grown, and for the best loaf of bread produced by a pupils in the domestic science classes. Six rose bushes will be given for the best collection of flowers. Superintendent Tooze spoke of the oratorical contest, and presented Elva Linton with the prize offered by the Clackamas County School league.

The seniors are practicing faithfully with their lines for the class play to be given next Saturday at Shively's theatre. Proceeds from the play, after expenses have been met, will be turned over to the management of The Hesperian, the high school paper, which has a small debt to meet at the end of the school year.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Emily H. and A. J. Monk to The Glenmorrie company, portion of Jesse Bullock D. L. C.; \$1. Frank X. Legrand and wife, C. Adolph Legrand, Anton M. Legrand and wife to Henry Roberts, part of lot Whitcomb D. L. C.; \$10. G. R. Robinson and wife to Emma Ripley Cornog, N. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 Sec. 30, T. 2 S., R. 5 E.; \$10. The classified ad columns of The Enterprise satisfy your wants.

At THE BELL TODAY 1. "The Cleanup" 2. "How He Won Her" 3. "The Trail of the Silver Fox" 4. "Knotty Knott" [Comedy] Remember, the MUSICAL COMEDY will remain one more night only. The prices will remain the same, 10c.

MEMORIAL DAY AUTOMOBILE SERVICE The Miller - Parker Co. will have Automobiles leaving Sixth and Main Streets all day Friday, May 30th, for both cemeteries Call on Us for Prompt Service Prices Reasonable

The Superiority of Electric Toast to the charred, or brittle, or soggy kind made in the tedious old-fashioned way, is relatively the same as the superiority of grilled steak to fried steak. For one-tenth of a cent a slice the General Electric Radiant Toaster makes Perfect Toast faster than you can eat it. It is Perfect Toast because the radiant heat forces the necessary chemical change in the bread. This insures delicious golden Toast that fairly melts in your mouth. You can operate the General Electric Radiant Toaster on the finest damask table cloth. Its neat porcelain base and cheerful glowing coils add grace and charm to any table. This little toaster is on display at our store in the Beaver Building on Main Street. Portland Railway, Light & Power Company Beaver Building, Main Street