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Dick Van Buren is enough. Miss Marion Barney, who has not had much opportunity for her emotional lines, was a Phyllis Lee as good as any. Miss Landers and Mr. Mathieu did well with

the young lovers' scene. Phosa McAllis-

Five curtains were the reward of Mr.

WILL COME TO PORTLAND.

Gadski and Bisham.

Bisham Wagnerian combination would

come to Portland, and the date was deli-nitely settled on as Thursday evening.

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March 22.

# CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

### Amusements Tonight.

MRAQUAM GRAND - "A Contented CORDRAY'S THEATER (Washington street)-

"The Charity Ball."

deavoring to keep up the price, some of them have to take less than 9 cents, and offer to furnish calves from which the sweetbreads and livers have not been sweetbreads and invers have not been removed. Pork is also coming in much more plentifully than any one had imagined possible, and the price is declin-ing. Chickens, however, are scarcer and dearer. All the hens are laying, and, although eggs are down to 12½ cents per dozen, the farmers do not care to part with them. This is the off season for poultry, but there should be lots of spring chickens in the market. The supply is very limited and brollers and frying chickens are brought here from the East. It is beginning to be understood that this climate is specially adapted to poultry-raising, and that there is money to be made in the business if properly conduct-ed, and before long the markets will be better supplied with poultry than ever be-

FOR TEAMS, WHEELS AND FOOTMEN .-Several of the property-owners on Vancouver avenue, between Broadway and Ruesell street, are proposing to have that street improved, and are desirous of having it done under a special ordinance. They want to have the street improved with gravel, full width, and to have a on sidewalk on one side and a sixfoot sidewalk and a six-foot bicycle path on the other side. This scheme has not yet been tried here, although it has been talked of several times, but it is said that it has been tried in a number of Eastern cities and found to work well. The pro-moters are taking advice on the subject now and endeavoring to find out whether they can procure signers enough to se-cure the improvement on the plan proposed. There is now a good street from the steel bridge to Broadway, and a peti-tion is out for the improvement of Broadway, so that when this is completed there will be a good bicycle road from the steel bridge nway out Vancouver avenue to sell street

BEGINNING BICYCLE PATHS .- As the County Commissioners had some \$4000 left over in the bicycle fund, they do not need to wait for taxes to come in in order to resume the building of bicycle paths, and have accordingly decided to begin operations in a few days. It is proposed first to build an eight-foot path along the St. Helens road, on the river side, from about the city limits as far as the road is improved. Next, a path will be built to connect the Base Line and Section Line roads, somewhere west of Mount Tabor, probably along West avenue. The system of boulevard paths on the Peninsula will also be completed as soon as practicable. As all the old paths are in fair condition and will need but little attention, the money derived from this year's wheel taxes will all be available for the con-struction of new paths, and the Commissioners will be enabled to do a lot of work, and propose to give every section of the city as many paths as possible with

mey at their command. WELL KNOWN IN PORTLAND,-Andrew Jackson Lawrence, whose death at Lewis-ton was announced in Wednesday's Oregonian, was well known to many old citizens of Portland, and particularly to Democrats, for he was one of the promient members of that party in the '70s. le was a member of the Legislature of 1876, and was chairman of the judiciary committee of the House. Judge W. D. Fenton, who was a member of the same Legislature and of the same committee, In speaking of him yesterday, said he was a man of much force and energy, and was of the most aggressive members o the House. He was a hard fighter, and was always ready for a political alterca-tion on any subject that arose. Lawrence was an enthusiastic supporter of Tilden, and was bitterly disappointed at his de-feat. Judge Bellinger, C. A. Cogswell and f other Democrats

RUFFIANLY ACT.-As a Chinaman was passing along Second sireet Wednesday afternoon, one of the gay boys who lounge about the saloons at the intersection of Burnside, selzed him by the queue, and with one fell swipe of his pocket-knife cut it off close up to the skull. This is the greatest indignity that could be put on a Chinaman, and the victim went wild the greatest indignity that could be put on a Chinaman, and the victim went wild with rage. In fact, he could not have been madder and would not have made half so much fuss if the ruffian had cut his head off, together with the queue. The loafer held up the severed queue before its beraved owner and amiliarie remark. Tonight, The UNITADEN-"All MARKA METROPOLITAN THEATER-"All MARKA MORE VEAL AND PORK.-A short time ago there was a scarcity of veal and pork in the city markets, and calves brought 5 cents per pound by the carcass. Commission men had orders booked ahead for all the calves they could get. Now things are changed, and the commission men have to rustle around among the borkers to get rid of veal, which is in men have to rustle around among the only wanted to see what the outcome outcome of the amount obtained outcome of the outcome outcome of the amount obtained outcome of the outcome outcome of the out borhood and a crowd of white men, who only wanted to see what the outcome would be. The queue theif ran around a block, dodged into some building and was not captured. It is a pity he got away, for such a piece of needless and wanton crueity to an unoffending Celestial shows that he is a ruffian at heart, and should be punished.

be punished. MRS. M. M. W. BEEBE DEAD.-Henry Everding yesterday received a brief dis-patch from Cecli Beebe, St. Louis, Mo., stating that his mother died March 7, and her remains would be sent here by and her remains would be sent here by Wells-Fargo's express. The dispatch was very brief, and stated that a letter giv-ing full particulars had been mailed. Mrs. M. M. W. Beebe was an old-time resident of this city, wife of Edwin Beebe, formerly of the commission firm of Everding & Beebe arbs did about 5 years and For Beebe, who died about 20 years ago. For the past eight or ten years she has been living in St. Louis, where her son, Cecil, resides. Her remains are doubtless being sent here to be interred beside those of her husband in their plot at Riverview cemetery. As Mr. and Mrs. Beebe had many friends among the old-time residents of this city, some of whom will probably desire to attend her funeral, Mr. Ever-ding will give due notice of the arrival of her remains, and the time of the fu-neral, as soon as practicable.

BOLD HOLD-UP .- A hold-up that looks as if a couple of Seattle thugs had struck Portland was perpetrated on the East Side, near Inman, Poulsen & Co.'s mill, last night at 10:50. Andrew Hansen, em-ployed in the Commercial block, was walking along Clinton street, near Grand avenue, in company with Miss Ida Jorgen-sen, a young woman in the employ of R. D. Inman, when both were confronted by a pair of masked men, who held guns on Hansen and ordered him to halt and throw up his hands. Hansen obeyed with-out parley, and one of the outlaws went through him, relieving him of \$10 in cash and a gold watch and chain. Miss Jorgen-sen was not molested. Hansen was naturally excited, and did not get a very good

mental photograph of the robbers, though they both looked of gigantic stature to him. The police are working on the case. FOR THOSE INTERESTED .- It is but proper to announce that the adverticements now appearing in the magazines stating that the Northern Pacific's Wonderland, 1960, was ready, were necessarily prepared from six to eight weeks ago, and when we thought the publication would be ready at about this time. Unfortunately unforeseen difficulties have delayed the printers, and we will not be able to begin distribution of these books before April 1. All requests, accompanied by 6 cents in stamps, will be carefully attended to and a copy of Wonderland, 1900, mailed to each person asking for it as soon as possible. Requests for Wonderland, 1900, should be sent to Charles S. Fee, general passenger agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn

WORK ON CUSTOM-HOUSE .- Although the stone and brick work have been practi-cally finished at the new Custom-House, 120 men are still kept busy in constructing the tile floors and partitions, and in lay-ing the tile roof. The stone sheds at corner of Park and Everett streets the will be torn down this week, to make room for the workers, who are to lay the cement walks and stone pavement. The high hoard fence inclosing the block will not be removed until ">e new Custom-House is aimos, ready to turn over to the Government, which will be some time in

BICTCLE THIEF SENTENCED .- John Stock ton, who sold a stolen bloycle to a second-hand dealer for \$8 50, was yesterday sentenced to eight months in the County Jail, by Judge Hennessy. Stockton represented to the second-hand dealer that the bicycle was purchased in Seattle, from a man named C. W. Smith, for \$30, but in reality it had been stolen from in front of the premises of F. E. Strauhal, the owner, at 2921/2 Morrison street, in Portland. Will REGISTER IS A BODT .-- The Sixth Ward Republican Club' will meet at its headquarters at 7 o'clock this evening and will go to the courthouse and register in a body. Topar and tomorrow, opening of the spring season, grand display of pattern hats and novelties, at Heiler's, 380 Wash-ington, corner West Park. WRESTLING MATCH and athletics tomorrow night, Exposition,

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CHECKING UP CLAIMS .- County Auditor Pope has recently put in considerable extra time checking up claims of taxpayers for the return of penalties imposed by the County Court when H. H. Northup was Judge, because of their dilatoriness. Judge Northup first instructed the Sheriff to charge these slow taxpayers 1 per cent. and later on an additional 1 per cent, to pay the expense of keeping the tax roll

Relief Board was held yesterday, Mayor Storey, Fire Commissioners Rowe, Filed-ner and Everding and Police Clerk Rau being in attendance. None of the Police Commissioners was present, although they had all been duly notified. W. Bubh, of No. 2 engine company, was granted relief in the sum of \$25 on account of sickness, and E. Parker, of hose company No. 3, was granted \$5 55. A proposed amend-ment to the by-laws was discussed at some length, but on account of the ab-caroe of the Poles Commissionars no sence of the Polce Commissioners no ction was taken.

NEW ROADWAY .- The Eastern Lumber ompany is building a 29-foot plank road from the mill to the railroad track, a distance of 200 feet. This is a much-needed improvement, and will be greatly appreciated by those teamsters who had to drive over the muddy field last winter. ADMISSION IS and 50 cents, Exposition outiding, sports, Saturday night.

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them to hold office. The ecenes are laid in Denver, and the scenery used in the production here will be the same as used at Hoyt's Theater, New

Miss Belle Archer heads the cast, and she will be supported by such artists as Augusta de Forest, Henrietta Lee, Bonnie Lottie, John L. Kearney, Arthur F. Buc-hanan, C. P. Morrison, Will Granger and he beauty trio, last season's sensation with "Jack and the Beanstalk." The brisk demand for seats, and the with forming of several theater parties indicate a royal welcome for "A Contented Wom-

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Mary Van Buren. Mr. Frawley was not on view either in the cast. Miss Keith Wakeman, whose work in "The Sporting Duchess" and "The Danc-ber Giel" metable will also and "The Danc-

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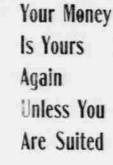
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ter was the sweet-voiced, gentle, blind mother. Clarence Montaine does not make out of Judge Peter Gurney Knox all that it is capable of producing for the benefit of the comedy element. Reynolds, Mr. Byrne, Miss Barney and Miss Wakeman in the third act. "The Charity Ball" will be played tonight and at the Frawley anniversary matinee tomorrow. The occasion will be \* WHERE TO DINE. made memorable by the giving away of silver hearts as souvenirs. Saturday night the Frawley people will take their leave of Mr. Cordray's house in the farewell per-For substantial meals or lunches, everything clean and nice, try the Portland restaurant, 305 Washington st., near 5th. Entertainment and Dance, Given by the Ladles' Social Club, at Up-church Hall, Seventeenth and Marshall streets, Monday, March 19, 1990, 8 o'clock P. M. Gentlemen, 25c. Ladles, 15c. Manager Heilig Secures Damrosch, Steinway Square Grand, \$190. Manager Heilig, of the Marquam Theater, received a telegram yesterday to the effect that the Damrosch, Gadski and

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have known him at various stages of his carcer. Of late years he had been altogether out of politics. NOT SO BAD AS PAINTED .- Some of the

members of "The Rabbit Club," of South Portland, are worked up over what was said of the club by M. Bottler in Wednesday's paper. They deny ever having broken into the clubhouse, but instead say that every time they went in the key was furnished by Mr. Bottler's son Hood. As to the windows being broken, they say that it was done accidentally, and that every pane of glass was paid for by them. They also take exception to the statement of Mr. Bottler that he helped them obtain and arrange their apparatus, or that he offered them soft drinks instead of liquors. The boys declare that Mr. Bottler always knew they had strong liquors in the building, and that he often artook of them with the boys. They had no whisky, as was stated, but only claret punch.

JEWISH FAIR CLOSED .- The Jewish fair came to a close last night with a grand masquerade ball. Fully 150 people were on the floor in gay attire, and the rest of the hall was packed with spectators. The costumes were strikingly original, and it was only after long deliberation that the winning characters were selected. The awards were made by Benjamin I. Cohen, The fair was both a social and financial success, but to what extent in the laiter respect is not yet known. Still, the amount can safely be put way up in the hun-dreds, and it will probably reach the thousands. Many valuable donated articles are left yet, but to what use the committee will put them will be announced later. LIVELY CONNER.-Business is picking up on North Sixth street, according to indi-cations at the northwest corner of Glisan, where Charles Siglin is having a two-story dwelling taken off its brick foundation and squared around, so as to leave room for the erection of a store building to front on Glisan street. The Barr Hotel, on the southeast corner, has changed hands, and F. W. Fletcher, who has occupied the cor-ner for several years, has been given a month's notice to vacate, as the whole building will be needed by the new own-ers. Messra, Broock & Bartran. Mr. Barr will go into another bus ness, and the new landlords will spend \$5000 on repairs and improvements to the hotel.

LENTIN CONCERT.-The Centenary Chor-al Society, consisting of 50 voices, including several well-known soloists from both sides of the river, assisted by a chorus of 25 boys and 25 girls, and an orchestra of 10 pieces, under the leadership of Herr Anton Zlim, will render "Esther, the Beau-tiful Queen," at Burkhard Hall, in full costume, Friday evening, March 23, Ad-mission, 50 cents; children, 25 cents. Tick-ets on sale at Gill's, Woodard & Clarke's and Love & Burkhand's and Love & Bushong's.

INCORPORATION .- Articles of incorporation of the Surgical Samtorium were filed in the office of the County Clerk yesterday. The object of the corporation is to conduct a hospital; capital stock. S000; incorporators, Andrew C. Smith, Robert C. Coffey, Harry Lane.

TURKISH RUG AUCTION at 2 o'clock this afternoon, also at 8 o'clock this evening, not fail to attend this important sale, 126 Third street.

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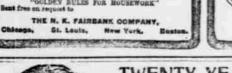
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