

NEW CHURCH FOR SCIENTISTS.—The new church for scientists is the Church of Christ (Scientist) which has been located at the southwest corner of Twenty-third and Irving streets and will hold services in a hall hereafter beginning a week from Sunday. The building was formerly owned by the Plymouth Congregational Church, and was located on the northwest corner of Fifteenth and Everett streets. It was afterward moved to its present site, and for several years has been occupied by a German congregation. The new owners purchased the building and property about three weeks ago and have made many improvements in the interior. The auditorium has been refitted, and a reading-room has been provided in the rear. The society will soon move into the church from its present quarters in the third floor of the Dekum building, and will make its home there in the future, holding regular services every Sunday.

WHEN POISON OAK THRIVES.—Green Mountain, away up at the head of Starvation Creek, is a lovely place, at least in the opinion of W. W. Espey, who has lately returned from that region. He has just sufficiently recovered from a severe case of poison oak poisoning to be able to be out, and looks like a new man. He bears the mountain no grudge on account of his sickness, but the prettiest poison oak plants he has ever seen exist there large enough for shade trees, and poison ivy also flourishes remarkably there. The mountains are about 25 miles south of Portland, and in a lovely region. The classic streams, known as Hogen, Grove Creek and Starvation Creek, have their rise in this beautiful region, and there are also some rich mines there. Mr. Espey says poison oak doesn't do a thing to him but swell his head to the size of a balloon and close his eyes as completely as poison oak poisoning. He took a trip all the same, and speaks in terms of praise of the Green Mountain region.

VIEWED A FINE COUNTRY.—A. Hunter, of Sunnyside, Clatsop county, has just returned from a trip through the country from Ontario, and drove them in by way of the John Day country to Shunke and over the old route by way of the Barlow trail here. He was 15 days on the road, and had one horse raised at Ontario, and drove them in by way of the John Day country to Shunke and over the old route by way of the Barlow trail here. He was 15 days on the road, and had one horse raised at Ontario, and drove them in by way of the John Day country to Shunke and over the old route by way of the Barlow trail here.

WHEELER WILL BE SEEN FOR TAKING.—The deputy sheriff who is in the work of enforcing the payment of the bicycle tax have been instructed to seize wheels, and yesterday afternoon the first wheel was taken, and is to be held for redemption. The seizure of bicycles of delinquents is provided for by law, and a penalty of \$1 is entailed, making the tax \$2.25, instead of \$1.25. Last year about 20,000 tags were disposed of, and this year but few only about 1500 have been sold. About one-half of the wheelmen have therefore not yet paid the tax. Many have refused to pay, and leaving no other course for the sheriff to pursue but to order bicycles brought in. The duty of collecting the tax has been imposed upon him, and he must do it.

PARTS THIS IN YOUR HAT.—Beginning Sunday, June 24, the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad will put into effect a train which will run daily at 11:30 A. M. from Portland daily, at 4 P. M. from Astoria, and at 12:30 P. M. from Astoria to the beach trains will run daily at 11:30 A. M. and 1:30 P. M. from Astoria to the beach trains, and at 2:30 P. M. and 5 P. M. from Astoria to Portland.

YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.—At a meeting held last evening in its rooms in the Marquam building, Portland Council, No. 100, of the Young Men's Institute, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, John B. Coffey; first vice-president, H. J. Allstock; second vice-president, Thomas F. Frazier; recording secretary, J. E. Maloney; corresponding secretary, E. H. Cahalan; treasurer, Joseph P. Kelly; marshal, Andrew Cain; executive committee, J. J. Gorham, Joseph Forastal, E. J. Shorkey.

SCHNEIDER WILL CONTINUE.—William Schneider, Republican candidate for Congressman in the Ninth Ward, yesterday filed a protest in the State Circuit Court against his successful Democratic opponent, F. B. Holbrook. There were 192 votes cast in this ward. In the count Holbrook got 95 and Schneider in his complaint that Holbrook ought to have been credited with only 96 votes, and he, Schneider, should be credited with 92 votes. Errors in the count in seven precincts are alleged, aggregating 23 votes.

WILL HAVE PRUNES TO EXPORT.—R. R. Austin, of Oestis, Wash., is in Portland on his return from Vancouver, where he had been extending his pruning orchard with an eye to this year's crop. At the Perkins yesterday he said the prune crop of Clark County would make a number of carloads, in spite of the fact that the Italian prunes had been badly damaged by untimely frosts. He has arranged to build a dryhouse in time for this season's product, which he expects to market to his advantage in the East.

RAKE LILIES.—A. C. Sanford, whose home is at Portsmouth, has in bloom many St. Joseph lilies, which are the admiration of his neighborhood. These are the unfavorable weather recently, the flowers have developed perfectly. It seems that the soil on the peninsula is particularly well adapted to the best results for lilies, and Mr. Sanford cultivates them intelligently. Two years ago his garden was wonderful. The lilies surpassed even the best that Oregon had produced.

FINCHES HANDS.—This week at the Multnomah Club the final baseball tournament for the club moves into its new quarters, is scheduled to take place here on Monday afternoon. The following have been named: A. O. Jones, R. F. Scott, A. B. McAlpin, J. F. Leonard, F. J. Railey, W. B. Fehlbauer, E. H. Cleland, W. A. Hathaway, B. F. Stevens, George McMillan and J. C. Meebe. The stake is a crawfish supper.

ARON EXCURSION TO MARTIN'S ISLAND.—SUNDAY, JUNE 24. STEAMER SNAVER LEAVES FOOT WASHINGTON STREET 8:30 A. M. LIST INVITATIONS FROM MEMBERS.

ADGIE AND HER HONS WILL GIVE MATINEE.—At 2:30 this afternoon to 700 school children free.

UMBRELLAS—Repairing and recovering. 500th St. Washington, bet. 5th and 6th.

PARANER CREAMS, 5c per pound to retail. Cartroll's, 5c Washington.

ELLER Printing Co. has now moved in their new quarters, 308 First street.

ADGIE and her Hons this evening.

UNCHARITABLE REMARKS.—Two women were riding their bicycles on the sidewalk on Third street yesterday morning, when something caused them to turn off to the street. One of them, who had Auburn hair, remarked spitefully: "I suppose she must ride in the mud." The other woman, who was riding in the mud, had to pay \$2.25 license for riding in the "mud." A man who overheard the remark mentioned incidentally that there was one alternative left, but it was probably too dreadful to be seriously entertained; that was, for her to stay at home until the mud had dried up. His idea was that she would prefer playing the part of a trying juggernaut and pulverizing pedestrians than to confine herself to attending to her household duties. Another remarked that he would bet that she had put the mud on her family dinner in the stove and "baked" the fire, and would get home just in time to get it all done for her husband's dinner. Of course these remarks were totally uncharitable, for and are impertinent and irrelevant.

SCHOOLS CLOSE TUESDAY.—The examinations in the public schools were practically ended yesterday, and everything in connection therewith will be completed and the pupils and teachers will be released from duty at 10 A. M. Tuesday. The number of pupils who, on account of having made the requisite number of points in their studies during the term—15—were exempt from taking the examination, amounted to about one-third of the attendance. School Clerk Allen will have the checks for paying teachers' salaries ready Tuesday afternoon, and the Directors will as soon as possible elect teachers for the coming year. As there are only about a dozen vacancies to be filled, this ordeal will be got through with in short order, and then the teachers, with their certificates of election in their pockets, will be ready to start on their vacation trips with light hearts.

DROWNED FROM A STEAMER.—The Balley Gatzert yesterday morning brought the body of a man, identified as Richard Braak, proprietor of the Arion saloon, who is supposed to have fallen overboard during the night trip up the river and drowned. Braak boarded the Balley Gatzert at 11:30 P. M. on Thursday evening and went to bed soon after in his stateroom. Yesterday morning the steward noticed the outside door of Braak's room was ajar, and he went to the room unoccupied, and his hat, coat and shoes on the floor. A search for the missing man was instituted, but no trace of him was found, and accidental drowning is the only theory advanced to explain his disappearance. Mr. Braak had a wife and three children. His business was profitable, and domestic relations were happy.

WILL OPEN BIRD.—Captain Sebree, light-house inspector of district No. 12, who is in charge of business in this district during the absence of Inspector Day in Alaska, will remain here until he has opened bids for getting lightship No. 10 off the beach and for repairing lightship No. 6, and changing her illumination. He will then return to his station at San Francisco, and the decision of the board in regard to the award of the contract will be forwarded to the office here, and operations will be commenced. Captain Sebree will "run up" from San Francisco once in a while during Inspector Day's absence to see how work is progressing on the contracts.

INDIAN WOMEN WORKING.—A constant crowd of spectators blocked the Fifteenth street sidewalk in front of the Meier & Frank building yesterday, to watch a group of Siletz Indians in the act of weaving baskets from native grasses, which had been cured for the purpose. As usual with Indians, the women did the work, while the man of the group merely sat near by and did nothing. The crowd of civilized people were therefore given an illustration of Indian gallantry. The women were from the Siletz reservation, and were in the act of weaving baskets from native grasses, which had been cured for the purpose. As usual with Indians, the women did the work, while the man of the group merely sat near by and did nothing. The crowd of civilized people were therefore given an illustration of Indian gallantry.

SMALLPOX CASE.—Yesterday morning Officer Welch, on duty at the Union depot, notified City Physician Wheeler of the arrival of a smallpox case from the Northern Pacific train, who had the appearance of being afflicted with smallpox. On examination, Dr. Wheeler found that the man was in the third-day stage of the disease, and had him removed immediately to the pesthouse. Redmond came from Puget Sound a week ago, but arrived in Portland after a few days in Kalama. On the train, he was in the smoking-car on the train, as the only passenger. No danger is anticipated from contagion, as Dr. Wheeler has taken every possible precaution.

HIS STYLE OF ADVERTISING.—Unexpected Development of Ovid Chapman When Trade Got Dull.

New York Sun.

"The professional writer of advertisements," remarked a man in the advertising business, "knows more about his trade than any one else knows. But occasionally some rank outsider from whom it is least to be expected, comes out with a stray idea that is worthy of attention."

"I remember the case of an old man named Ovid Chapman, who kept the general store in a sleepy little Massachusetts village. He was not an educated man, but he was clever, as is proved by the fact that he could read now and then. One day he wandered into the office of the business manager, and asked to see the business manager."

"Hey, you!" he said by way of greeting to the manager, "I want two inches of space for two months. Things has been droppin' off consid'rably in my line lately, an' I'm goin' to try advertisin' for a spell."

"Ahem!" coughed the business manager, "now just what is your line of business, Mr.—er—Chapman?"

"Well, I jest keep hardware, candy, shoes, tooth brushes, baby, shirts and all such things. But you needn't bother about that; I've got my ad all writ up, and he took from his pocket a slip of paper upon which was scrawled the following:

WE DON'T KEEP ANYTHING. WE SELL EVERYTHING.

O. D. CHAPMAN. Main Street.

"Some days later, when passing his store, I was surprised to see this placard hanging above the boots and shoes in his window:

We are trying to sell our shoes—not our customers. New shoes sold. Old shoes resold.

"Yas," he said, coming to the door, with a satisfied chuckle. "I believe in advertisin'. But it's like baked beans; it's got to be well done to be any good."

WHERE TO DINE.

Do away with that hungry, dissatisfied feeling. Dine at the Portland restaurant, 305 Washington, and be happy.

Death of Robert Bartsch.

Robert Bartsch, a well known farmer living at Pleasant Home, died at his home Thursday night after an illness of several weeks. He had lived in the neighborhood for the past 25 years, and was highly respected. He was 33 years old. A wife and five children survive him. His funeral will take place today at Pleasant Home.

EXPRESS PACKAGE SALE.

The Farnsworth Herald Tailoring Company, 223 Washington street, have put on sale about 1000 uncalled-for tailor-made suits, gathered from the various express offices. Your choice for \$15; worth \$20, \$25 and \$30, for 10 days only.

"Sohmer" Pianos. "Estey" Organs. "Hardman" Pianos. "Stearns" Pianos. Wiley B. Allen Co., 311 First street.

Pulley Belts and Ladies' Neckwear. Newer and cheaper than anywhere. New York Mercantile Co., 216 Third.

DETAILS TAKING SHAPE.

PLANS MATURING FOR BIG CELEBRATION.

Chinese Will Take a Prominent Part in the Grand Night Parade—Children to Sing.

As the Fourth of July approaches, details of the three days' celebration in Portland are rapidly taking shape. Last evening's meeting of various committees brought in carefully prepared reports as to the amounts expended and the sources from which the funds are expected. The finance committee's showing was most flattering, as the small deficiency in the fund will probably be fully made up by next Monday evening's meeting. Most of the promoters of this celebration are practical business men, to whom the raising and disbursing of funds for celebrations is nothing new.

The Chinese of Portland have come to the front with commendable alacrity and have spontaneously agreed to make their section in the night parade one long to be remembered. There will be floats symbolic of Chinese history, religion, customs, celebration of New Year by the well-to-do, processions of secret orders and a display by the Chinese-Americans, as well as a uniform exhibit by Chinese students, leading Chinese merchants in carriages, etc. The Celestials of Portland have never taken a prominent part in independent day celebrations, and their efforts this year will be a surprise and a revelation to the Christian spectators along the line of march.

All the civic societies in the city will take part in the parade, and each will have its distinct float appropriate to the order, whose members will take part in the parade. The military exhibit will be unveiled by the presence of infantry and artillery from Vancouver, as well as militia from Oregon City and Woodburn; the streets, especially along the line of march, are to be decorated with nine national emblems, and a variety of minor embellishments.

Railroads and steamboat lines have all shown their good will by a material reduction in fares between July 2 and 4, and several of the companies gave liberal cash donations besides, according to the committee on transportation.

The line of march will probably be made known at the meeting of the committee to take place Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when the hall for holding the literary exercises will also be decided on. A rehearsal of school children will take place this afternoon at the high school, and all those who are to participate in the concert are requested to be on hand at 8 o'clock.

PERSONAL MENTION.

WALTER REED, Eye Specialist, 133 SIXTH STREET, OREGONIAN BUILDING.

EDUCATIONAL.

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EXPERTS IN WOOD.

Tonal Beauty of the Stradivarius Violin Utilized by Modern Piano-Makers.

A secret of the pre-eminent tone beauty of the Stradivarius and Cremona violins lies in the expert selection of the wood. This is equally true of the modern piano, and in no part more necessarily than in the sounding board. In the Kimball piano the sounding board is made of the best selected mountain spruce of firmer, finer grain than any grown in lower altitudes. As a consequence they yield a more powerful ringing tone, the wood being compressed in such a manner as to obtain the tonal resonance of the rare violin.—Chicago Chronicle.

Wholesale and Retail Agency Kimball Pianos.

In Our New Music Building: 351 WASHINGTON STREET.

Eyes not alike 113.

Only about one person in 10 has eyes that are just alike. Sometimes one is farsighted and the other nearsighted. Sometimes one is perfect and the other very defective. Sometimes one is just a little weaker than the other, sometimes a great deal. Such eyes cannot be fitted with ready-made spectacles, for in all ready-made glasses the lenses are of the same power. If you find a pair that seems to fit you, it is really helping only the best eye. The eye which needs help most is left to get worse. It is at each eye separately.

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Don't care where you go, you can't find better values than these.

Business suits of royal blue serge—made of 14 3/4-ounce thoroughly shrunken fabrics—absolutely fast color.

We commend these well-fitting suits to the man who wants reliable clothes at a very moderate outlay.

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Single and double-breasted sack styles, regular, stout and long sizes.

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Is ideal for summer wear because of its extremely light weight and construction, which provides a ready means of escape for perspiration and the vapors arising from the heated body. These properties make "Aertex" Cellular Underwear the most comfortable and healthful.

Investigate catalogue with prices supplied on application. Investigate the merits of "AERTEX" Cellular Underwear before purchasing your supply.

FOR SALE BY MEIER & FRANK COMPANY, Agts. Portland, Oregon.

FIREWORKS AND FLAGS.

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