

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT. MARQUAM GRAND—James Neill Company. Matinee, "The Social Highwayman." Evening, "The Lottery of Love." CORDRAY'S THEATRE—The Elford Company in "The American Girl." DEAD FROM CURSE OF GOLD—Zeno, the large and handsome mascot owned by E. A. Schlotz, which took a prize in the bench show last year, and had been entered at the coming show, died yesterday morning at a veterinary hospital, where he had been taken for treatment. He was a great favorite of his master and unusually gentle, playful and intelligent. He seemed to have some idea of the value of money and whenever he saw his master handling any of the gold pieces, he would always trot up to him a dime or a nickel. Like many human beings, he appeared to think that the chief object in getting money was to accumulate it, and he was very successful in his efforts. He always swallowed all he got hold of. For some time he had been in poor health and his master took him to a veterinary surgeon, who had him cured so that he might make a good appearance at the bench show. The skill of the doctor was carried in vain, and Zeno died yesterday morning. It is supposed from the corroding effects of the coins he had swallowed. His death will leave quite a large vacancy in the exhibit of dogs, but there is no one else who has any more vacancies being created from the same cause. The cause of his death is given as "Auri sacra fames," which has caused the death of more men than dogs. FIRST DAY'S SALMON FISHING.—The fishing season on the lower river so far as has been reported, opened Monday with favorable auspices. At Pillar Rock canneries four tons of salmon were turned in. Some 35 fishermen turned in an average of 30 pounds to the net, which at 4 cents per pound made a fair night's wages. The scene on the sands back of Swan Island dike, the only one in operation on the river, was a most picturesque one. The fishermen, with their fish and salmon and also 170 pounds of shad. This scene is managed by Chris Henry, who never missed a day last season, and who caught more salmon than any other fisherman on the river. His first day's catch was better than the first day's last season, to say nothing of the shad, which were snapped up at a fancy price. This is the first time that shad have been caught on the first day of the fishing season, and the prospect that there will be no end of them. The catch all around was better than expected, and the amount of fish turned in at Pillar Rock canneries was larger than ever before on the first day of the season. NEST OF SNAKES.—Four little girls residing in the vicinity of East Burnside and Twenty-second streets had erected a pretty play-house from the house of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cordray. They were very much pleased at first, but afterwards were delighted when the graders unearthed a nest of garter snakes about a foot from the ground, which were crawling about the play-house. The snakes were all lengths from two feet to smaller, and while they are harmless, they would undoubtedly have done some mischief if the approach of warm weather, and proven most unwelcome guests at the children's tea table. NO DEMAND FOR FRENCH PRUNES.—A man who has been requested by a friend, a fruit-grower, up the Willamette valley, to find a purchaser for two tons of dried French prunes, the sort that are raised in California, has returned several hours yesterday hunting around town to find some one who wanted them. He could not find anyone who cared for prunes, and the best offer he received was a cent per pound. The prunes were good ones and the kind fully equal to the California prunes, but this is an odd year for such fruit, and California prunes are going begging in California. People in this state who have French prune trees would do well to graft them to Italian prunes or cut them down. CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.—The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on May 7 and 8 examinations for the following positions will be held in this city: Inspector of hulls in the steamboat-inspection service; Acting Assistant Surgeon in the Marine-Hospital service; Junior Architectural Draughtsman and Disciplinarian in the Indian Service. From the eligibles resulting from these examinations, certifications will be made to fill existing vacancies at salaries from \$800 to \$1800 per annum. Persons desiring to compete should at once apply to the Commission at Washington, D. C., for application blanks. DEATH OF "BILLY" SHAYER.—William Shayer, the well-known trick bicyclist, known all over the country as "Billy" Shayer, died of typhoid-pneumonia at his home, 120 1/2 East Jefferson street, yesterday morning. He had been ill a week. He took up trick riding four or five years ago and was familiarly known on many of the streets of the city which he earned went to the support of his aged father and mother. Shayer was 27 years old. The funeral will take place at 2 P. M. tomorrow at St. Mary's church, to which Mr. Shayer had been a member. Refreshments will be served and there will be music. ONE YEAR IN STATE'S PRISON.—Robert Oglesby, stage driver, indicted for embezzling and securing a registered package containing some \$2000, and having the stolen package in his possession, was arraigned in the United States Court yesterday and entered a plea of guilty on both counts. He was sentenced to serve him to serve one year in the penitentiary on each count, the sentence to run concurrently. INDIAN WAR VETERANS.—Multnomah Camp will hold their annual meeting in the City Hall, Saturday, May 18, at 1 P. M. Officers will be elected. The question of entertaining the Grand Encampment will be provided for. Arrangements will also be made to call on President McKinley in a body, May 22. The oldest veterans of the Coast should be invited to see the Order of Eagles, to which Mr. Shayer belonged, will attend. MEETING OF SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.—The monthly meeting of the Church Sunday School Institute of Oregon will be held at 7:45 this evening in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Vancouver avenue and Sellwood street, Albina district. Rev. J. P. B. Lloyd, rector of St. Mary's parish, Seattle, will speak on "The Relation of the Church to the Sunday School." Refreshments will be served and there will be music. SPANISH WAR VETERANS.—There will be a lantern entertainment and concert at the Institute tonight at 8 o'clock, the slides for the former have been kindly loaned by the Webster Company, and promise to be very interesting. Papers, magazines, and books of any nationality, will be cordially received, as the stock is almost cleared out. LIBRARY MEETING.—The library department of the Women's Club, will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 P. M. at the residence of Mrs. Shafford, 152 East Sixth street South. Everyone is requested to bring a book as an effort is being made to collect sufficient to serve off a case of 50 volumes to a neighboring town. PORTLAND KENNEL CLUB show commences today. Judging begins at 2 P. M. The best exhibit ever made in the Pacific Northwest. Don't miss it. Tabernacle, Twelfth and Morrison. THIRD CHAMBER CONCERT.—The Musical Club announces the third chamber concert given by the Elden-Coursen Quartet at Parsons Hall, Wednesday, April 17th, at 8:15. Tickets 5c. ANNUAL RECEPTION and tea at the Parson Home today. Special connecting cars at Third and Morrison 1:25, 2:25 and 3:45 P. M., by courtesy of City & Suburban line. DR. G. S. WRIGHT, of McMillinville, is at Third and Washington.

AT THE CAMERA CLUB

The lantern slide exhibition of the Oregon Camera Club last night was a very successful event, and was largely attended. The views shown are known as the American Lantern Slide Interchange, and comprise a selection from the Capital City Camera Club of Washington, D. C., and St. Paul Club. The Washington scenes were architectural, showing the residences of prominent churches and public buildings, the statues of Washington, Lincoln, Hancock, Lafayette, Farragut and others, and also the home presented to Admiral Dewey. The various views were explained to the audience by George Taswell, Senator Joseph Simon's private secretary, and the St. Paul views were of an artistic nature, and were equally well displayed and favorably commented upon. GRACE IN THE CATHEDRAL CLASS.—Dr. John R. Wilson's lecture in the Cathedral church, on "Views in Attica and Argolis," delivered last night, in the First Presbyterian church, was listened to by a large and appreciative audience. The subject was the ruins of the ancient Greece, as well as pictures of modern life in Greece as seen today, were well illustrated by the slides. The speaker's scholarly explanation of famous scenes around Attica, Argolis and Athens added much to the pleasure of the lecture, which was one of the most valuable of the series.

IN THE WATER COMMITTEE

SLIDING LANDS HAVE NEARLY STOPPED SLIDING. Request of Sunnyside for Better Pressure Denied—Trails Through Bull Run Reserve. A meeting of the water committee was held yesterday, C. A. Dolph presiding, and Messrs. Inman, Teal, Lewis, Ladd, Joseph, Rafferty, Carson, Scott, Kohn, Knapp and Bates present. The operating committee presented its report of the operation of the works for the month of March, showing receipts and disbursements as follows: Cash receipts for water.....\$21,453 30 Disbursements.....2,618 29 Balance paid treasurer.....\$18,835 01 The treasurer submitted his quarterly report, showing the amount of cash in his hands March 31, to be \$137,044 34, which tallied exactly with the books of the clerk. Authority was granted for drawing a warrant for the payment of \$7500 interest on the old East Portland water bonds, due May 1. Engineer Clark was given authority to proceed with the construction of a 24-inch sewer along Amos and Kingston avenues, for carrying the drainage of King Ravine away from the reservoir, and into Washington-street sewer. This is in accordance with an agreement made with the King Real Estate Association, on the purchase of the tract west of the City Park, a portion of the expense of the sewer being borne by the association. A petition was presented by several manufacturing concerns at the North End asking for a reduction of water rates, on the ground that when the rates they pay were made, it was necessary to make a charge sufficient to pay interest on the cost of furnishing them service. The operating committee considered the charges reasonable, and reported against the granting of the petition, which report was adopted. Petitions for New Mains. In the matter of the petition of Dr. Darling and others for an increased pressure upon the water mains at Sunnyside, Engineer Clark submitted a better prospect, showing that owing to the elevation it was impracticable to grant the petition at present, as if the pipes in that district were connected with the high-service reservoir at Mount Tabor the pressure would be too great for economical and convenient domestic use. An eight-inch main was laid from the conduit on the Section Line road, along Marguerite avenue, a distance of 300 feet, to give residents in the vicinity of the new main, and it furnishes them now with all the relief that can be obtained without incurring large expense in laying a new main from the high-service reservoir at Mount Tabor. The operating committee recommended that the increase of pressure at Sunnyside be deferred until a high-service system be established on the East Side, which report was adopted. A petition for the laying of a main 400 feet long on Marion avenue, Sellwood, to furnish fire protection for Peffer Bros.' tannery was denied. Marion avenue has not been improved, the tannery buildings are more than 400 feet from the nearest hydrant, and the cost of a four-inch main would be \$300. A petition for a six-inch main on East Taylor street, between Fourteenth and Sixteenth, was granted, it being shown that the street has been broken and sidewalks laid, and that the income from the extension would justify the necessary expense. Slides Almost Stopped. Engineer Clarke submitted a report on the progress of the drainage tunnels in the City Park. The total length of the main tunnel completed is 1188 feet; north branch, 47 feet; south branch, 15 feet. Progress on the south branch has been delayed while the engine was being moved to shaft II, but work is now progressing. This tunnel will run from shaft II in a direction a little west of south, and its estimated length to reach the southern limit of the slide is 350 feet. The flow of water from the tunnel has continued during the month at an average of about 20,000 gallons per day, making the total volume of drainage to date about 10,400,000 gallons. The survey of the mountain lines just completed shows a decrease from the last month, but the rate of movement is now so slight that satisfactory comparisons can only be made at intervals of several months, instead of monthly, as heretofore. Wants Pay for Right of Way. Petitions for a six-inch main on East Twenty-sixth street, from East Stark to

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East Ankeny, and for a main on the St. Helen's road from Twenty-fourth to Walnut street, were referred to the operating committee. A communication was received from A. C. Wehlein, owner of the northwest quarter of Section 17, through which the Bull Run Pipe line runs, asking to be paid for the right of way for the pipe line. He was away from the state when the pipe line was constructed, and some squatter had jumped his claim. The squatter has a title granted all the interest he owned in the right of way to the water committee, but lately Mr. Wehlein has returned, paid his taxes and resumed possession of his claim, and now asks to be paid as his neighbors were for the right of way for the pipe line. His request was considered a legitimate one, and since the pipe line was constructed a county road has been laid out along and over it, and it was suggested that the county may have paid for the land taken for the road. The clerk was directed to ascertain all the facts in reference to the matter. Trails in Bull Run Reserve. A letter from the director of the geological survey in regard to cutting trails through the Bull Run reservation was read and briefly discussed. The director of the geological survey is cutting trails and fire breaks through the timber in the reserve will lessen the danger of the forest being destroyed by fire. The fallacy of the director's opinion that Oregon forest in which fire breaks are made at a time, was well understood by the committee, but notwithstanding the expressed desire of the committee to have the director appointed to investigate the matter, with power to act, and the Chairman appointed as such committee Messrs. Rafferty, Inman and Joseph. How Accounts Are Kept. Dr. Joseph asked for information in regard to the manner in which the accounts of the committee were audited. He said that while in the last Legislature it had been asserted by another member that the accounts of the committee were never audited, and that consequently there was nothing to prevent crookedness. Mr. Ladd explained that the operating committee of which he is a member had been charged by the legislature with the duty of auditing the accounts; that a perfect system of checking and auditing all accounts was used by them, and that he had personally footed up every column of the accounts since he had been on the committee, and made such full and complete explanations of their system of auditing that Mr. Joseph had no further questions to ask, and that had been made to him.

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THE OREGONIAN SELLS GOODS IN PHILADELPHIA.

The following correspondence, which reached The Oregonian yesterday from the leading retail and jobbing drug house of Woodard, Clarke & Co., will prove of interest to local advertisers: "Portland, Or., April 19, 1901.—The Oregonian, City—Gentlemen: We wish a small advertisement in The Oregonian, for our souvenir playing cards. The enclosed letter with remittance for such cards from Philadelphia is a fair indication of the wide range of your paper's circulation. Yours very truly, "WOODARD, CLARKE & CO."

Below is the letter to which Woodard, Clarke & Co. refer.

"Philadelphia, Pa., April 8, 1901.—Messrs. Woodard, Clarke & Co., Portland, Or.—Dear Sirs: In answer to your advertisement in The Morning Oregonian, I inclose you \$1 in stamps, which please send me a pack of your souvenir playing cards. Address George W. Bowman, 1716 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. Very truly yours, "GEORGE W. BOWMAN."

Mrs. Moore Not Attacked.—Mrs. Amelia Moore, whose husband was killed through a fall from a trolley car, says the statement that Moore attacked her is a mistake. She and her 14-year-old daughter, she says, were in the bathroom when Moore entered the room. They kept quiet, hoping to escape him, and he probably would not have found them had Moore forced his way into the room, grabbed a razor and slashed at his throat. Mrs. Moore says she was cut in the hand in attempting to take the razor from her husband, and that Moore made no attempt to injure her or her daughter.

Big Importation of Garden Saus.—Yesterday was the busy day of the Front-street commission men. The California steamer, which had arrived here yesterday morning over 100 tons of fresh vegetables were strewn along the sidewalks in the commission district and in a few hours had been disposed of and disappeared. There was everything from strawberries, asparagus and cucumbers to radishes, green beans and cauliflower. The amount of it received here from California is enormous.

Dr. Wise Will Reply to Dr. Hill.—In his sermon referring to B. Fay Hill, Rev. E. P. Hill said at the First Presbyterian Church, Sunday: "Standing on the same platform with a Jewish rabbi, does not heat the previous evening's religious views are the same." The rabbi to whom Dr. Hill referred was Rev. Stephen S. Wise. Dr. Wise declined yesterday to be interviewed in regard to Dr. Hill's reference to him, but said that he would speak at the Temple Beth Israel Friday night on "Mr. Mills and His Sermon," and in that particular reference to Dr. Hill's utterances.

No New Cases.—City Physician Zan stated yesterday that no new cases of smallpox had been discovered in the city. The first case reported, a young man, he stated, were all under supervision, and carefully quarantined. The lodging house on North Third street, where the first smallpox spot was found, is still being watched by the police. Two telephone workmen who were asked to go into this house, yesterday as the telephone was reported to be out of order, were stopped at the door by a policeman and not allowed to enter.

Traveling Store.—A front-street commission firm has chartered the little steamer Trader to run between Portland and points in the lower Columbia and Willamette and Lewis and Lake rivers. The trader will carry a full stock of groceries and provisions. It will have everything people may want to buy and in return will buy anything they may have to sell. A special effort will be made to get the trade of fishermen this side of Astoria. W. H. Glue has been elected rear admiral of the fleet.

Early Seaside Visitors.—The fine weather is tempting many to visit the coast. Several have gone to Long Beach and others to Astoria. There were 36 visitors at Locksley Hall on Sunday for dinner. The weather has been finer, if possible, at the coast than here and fish and clams are plentiful.

Incorporation.—Articles of Incorporation of the Oregon Round Lumber Company were filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday by Dan J. Moore, D. C. O'Reilly and E. J. A. O'Reilly, capital stock \$20,000. The objects are to conduct and carry on the business of buying, selling, manufacturing, erecting, poles, masts, railroad ties, timber, etc.

Fined \$15 for Vagrancy.—Mrs. L. O. Oleson, of First and Everett streets, was fined \$15 in the Municipal Court yesterday for vagrancy and associating with vagrants. The police evidence was that they had been forced to arrest Mrs. Oleson, because of persons being robbed in houses which she receives rent. The fine was paid.

Labor Organizer Coming.—J. D. Pierce, the representative of the American Federation of Labor, who helped to settle the recent brewery strike, is expected to return to Portland this week to stimulate organization among laboring men. Mr. Pierce has done a good deal of this class of work in San Francisco.

BLAZE IN WINDOW CURTAINS

An alarm of fire from box No. 64 was sent out at 7:45 o'clock last night, for a blaze in a house on Nineteenth street near Pettygrove. The fire was extinguished with slight loss. It was started by a lighted match thrown inadvertently near the window curtain.

THROWN FROM HIS WAGON

While Lee Wah was driving his produce wagon yesterday, near the eastern end of Burnside street, his horse took fright, and started to run away. Lee Wah was thrown out, and severely injured. He was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital.

SOCIAL EVENING AT Y. W. C. A.

A social evening was given last night at the Young Women's Christian Association, so all members are invited to come to the rooms tonight and have a real good time.

FINED FOR GAMBLING

Four Chinamen, Ah Sing, Ah Wo, Ah Shun, and Ah Won, were each fined \$50 yesterday, in the Municipal Court, charged with gambling. Mizz Fong is charged with Messenger Company. Prompt, cheap. Main St. 41, either phone; 206 Stark street; Hayes & Jennings.

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