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Amusements Tonight.

MARQUAN GRAND THEATRE—Thomas Q. Seabrook in "A Modern Cooze." Matinee at 2:15 o'clock; evening at 8:15.

CORDELL'S THEATRE (Washington street)—"A Female Drummer."

PORTLAND CARNIVAL—At Exposition building and Main street. Concerts afternoon and evening, and many other attractions.

BASEBALL—2:30 P. M., at 24th and Vaughn streets.

SEATTLE AGENCY—Mr. J. M. McIntosh, the agent for The Oregonian in Seattle, has removed his office to room 22, Rowell building, Columbia street, corner of First avenue. The Oregonian reaches Seattle at 4:45 P. M. on the day it is issued, and is immediately delivered to subscribers and placed on file at all the principal news stands in the city. Any orders given Mr. McIntosh will receive prompt attention.

LOOK OUT FOR CORDELL!—Residents on East Burnside street have for some time been clamoring for street lights. There have been built on and near East Burnside street over 100 houses during the past year, all by a responsible, taxpaying class of citizens, who own their homes, and yet they allege that they have not been allowed a single lamp on account of all these improvements. There is justice in their demand for more lights, but so far the justice of their cause has not proved effective. CordeLL has taken up the matter, and will begin to clamor for lights, and the committee on street lighting, the Board of Public Works and all others who do not do their level best to have a lamp installed on East Burnside street will find themselves in trouble, for Mr. CordeLL is the boss clamor of this region. When he gets started in earnest the Board of Public Works will find it desirable to begin moving in the matter of furnishing the desired lights, and residents on East Burnside street will look forward to being able to visit their neighbors in the winter without carrying lanterns.

DOGS KILLED PAINLESSLY.—The dog catchers still continue to stalk through the city, leaving a trail of weeping and heartbroken women and children, and not a few awailing men in their wake. Dogs not furnished with the regulation license are seized without remorse or compunction, and are then taken to the pound and there they are kept, and unless within three days their owners or some philanthropic friend purchases a tag for them they go to the garbage crematory. The day they are captured they are put into cage No. 1; the next day they are turned into cage No. 2, and the next day into cage No. 3. At the end of the third day they pass on into the asphyxiating tank, in which they meet with a painless and speedy death, and their carcasses are then hauled away to the garbage crematory, where they are consumed. Persons whose dogs have been taken by the dog catcher need have no fears of their being subjected to any cruelty, as asphyxiation is painless.

MOST OF THE PRUNES SAVED.—Pruning in orchards adjacent to Portland has been progressing rapidly during the past week, and if good weather prevails for another week the crop will be considered safe. Prunes were about three weeks behind in ripening this season, as a result of the cold spring, and this placed the fruit at the peril of a late frost. The weather was cool, however, and the process of decay did not gain any headway before the weather cleared up again, and the most of the crop is safely in the bins. The price offered for Italian prunes, 2½ cents a pound, though not high, is considered satisfactory, and so the prune men are beginning to look upon the crop and prices of 1901 as all right.

BANKRUPT SALE, WOLFF & ZWICKER.

IRON WORKS.—The auction sale of the plant of Wolff & Zwickler Iron Works has been postponed to October 8, 1901, at 10 A. M., at which time the offer for sale, on the premises, at the east end of the Madison street bridge, Portland, Or., at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the plant and fixtures, including real estate, machinery, tools, equipment of all kinds, office furniture, etc. Up to and until 10 A. M. of October 8, 1901, I will also receive written offers for the plant, or any specified machines or tools, or the real estate, separately. Deposit at the time of bid must be made if required by trustee. The trustee reserves the right to reject any and all bids not satisfactory, and inventory and list of title can be examined, and all inquiries answered at office on premises. The sale of merchandise will continue each day, beginning Friday, September 27, until completed. Harrison C. Platt, trustee, Wolff & Zwickler Iron Works, bankrupt.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

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SPOKANE VS. PORTLAND.

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PREFERS HOME AMONG STRANGERS.

The superintendent of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society of Oregon, received a letter from S. F. Blythe, publisher of the Hood River Glacier, telling him that the boy giving his name as Daniel Prath, who came to the Receiving Home last Saturday for protection and assistance, is well known in Hood River, his father and mother both being alive and residing near that town. It appears that the boy had some misunderstanding with his father and left home about two months ago, and the notice in The Oregonian was the first that he had heard of his whereabouts. Superintendent Gardner says that the boy behaves himself and seems willing to do anything required of him. The management has a place in view for the boy, where he will receive \$10 per month and board, and the boy prefers to go there under the surveillance of the society to being sent home. Among the children to be placed out at the Receiving Home are several boys ranging in age from 3 to 7 years, whom the management desires to obtain homes for in private families. There are also one or two girls aged 11 and 12 years to place out for their schooling and board.

LANDLORD AND TENANT AT WAR.—David Coulter, of Winters' block, East Side, was before Municipal Judge Cameron yesterday, charged with larceny of one-eighth cord of firewood, valued at 50 cents, on the complaint of his landlord, H. D. Winters. Evidence was introduced for Winters, showing that about 3 o'clock September 21, that Coulter was seen carrying the wood from Winters' cellar. In defense, Coulter produced an affidavit, showing that he was with Winters on the latter's scow, at the time mentioned, and Coulter denied that he had stolen the wood. Coulter, who was represented by John Winters, was discharged on the ground of insufficient evidence. Mr. Dittburn said that his client will shortly bring a suit for damages against Winters for false arrest.

NO BLAME ATTACHED.—An adjourned inquest into the circumstances connected with the drowning of Charles W. Adams was held before the Coroner yesterday. Adams was drowned September 24 by falling from his boat into the Willamette River near Swan Island, or that his boat was capsized from some cause unknown to the jury. The latter decided that the captain and officers of the steamer Winona did all in their power to aid the drowning man, and that his death was not due to the negligence of anyone.

FUNERAL OF A MONTANA SOLDIER.—Victor L. Hitter, formerly a member of the First Montana Volunteer Infantry, died at the Good Samaritan Hospital of chronic dysentery, and the funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the undertaking parlors of Finlay, Kimball & Co., 1200 Commercial street. The deceased was a Spanish War Veteran, who can arrange to do so, will attend the funeral to pay the last honors to a gallant soldier. Burial will be in Lone Fir cemetery.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—It appearing to this court that to enable the completion of the improvements on the Vancouver bridge it will be necessary to suspend all travel thereon, it is hereby ordered that from and after Monday, October 7, 1901, and until further orders of the court, footmen only will be allowed on said bridge. By order of the County Court, October 4, 1901.

FOUR VAGRANTS PUNISHED.—Four colored defendants charged with vagrancy were disposed of in the Municipal Court yesterday as follows: William Wade, 45 days and 60 days imprisonment; Ed Flanagan, 30 days imprisonment; and sentence suspended on condition that Flanagan leaves town; Birdie Edwards, 60 days imprisonment; and John Wins, 10 days imprisonment.

NOTICE.—Having been continued as agent of the Home Insurance Company, of New York, to succeed the old firm of Fuller, Dwyer & Co., dispositive of policies and policyholders need make no note of location, as I am at the same office as in the past, No. 250 Third street. Indorsements, renewals and new policies will be given prompt and careful attention. Frank E. Dooley.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS.—The number of deaths reported in this city during the month of September was 83. The remains of 11 were brought here from other places for burial. The number of deaths registered during the month of August was 78. The number of births registered during September was 83, as compared with 101 during August.

CLUBWOMEN KEEPING OPEN HOUSE.—Members of the Portland Women's Club are keeping "open house" every afternoon and evening in the woman's department at the Carnival. They may be found in the east wing of the Exposition building, where they are glad to welcome visiting clubwomen.

FINAL DIVIDEND ORDERED.—The court yesterday made an order directing Receiver Nixon, of the Portland Savings Bank, to pay a final dividend of the assets to the creditors. The dividend will be 3 per cent, and Receiver Nixon expects to be ready to begin paying today (Saturday).

ACQUITTALS.—Him, just one of the Peace Kraemer yesterday granted judgment for \$113 for back salary, etc., in favor of Miss St. Leonard, the actress, against the Ralph Cummings Stock Company. Mr. Cummings is at present supposed to be in Alaska.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—A business meeting of the association will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Portland Business College. Program committee will submit plan of work for the year. Full attendance of members is desired.

RUNNING THE CLACKAMAS RAPIDS is a feature of great wonder to our visitors. Take steamer Leona foot Taylor street daily and Sunday at 8 A. M., 1 and 5 P. M., and enjoy one of the best river rides in Oregon. Round trip 25c.

Trolley Wreck.—There were 200 M cars running north of Washington street last night. A portable engine ran into a trolley wire, and between the hours of 12 and 12:30 cars did not run beyond the Exposition building.

MINISTERS' MEETING.—Regular meeting of Portland Ministers Meeting, in Y. M. C. A. rooms, Monday, October 7, at 10 A. M. Business and discussion on "Value and Violations of Civil Liberty."

HYACINTHS, TULIPS, ETC.—Just received direct from Holland by the Portland Seed Company, Front and Alder street, the largest and most complete line of Dutch bulbs in the Northwest.

THE FINEST time of the year to see the beautiful foliage along the Columbia River is in October. Regulator line will make special trip Sunday at 7 A. M. from Oak-street dock.

LECTURES at the North Pacific Dental College begin with the opening of the season Tuesday, October 1, at 5 o'clock P. M. The last day students may enter is October 10.

KNAPPA COAL COMPANY offers for three weeks limited amount of 10-cent treasury shares at 25 cents to rush boring operations. Office 129 Third street.

FIRST U. P. Church, Sixth and Montgomery streets. At 11 A. M. Rev. A. G. Wallace, D. D., LL. D., At 7:45 P. M., Rev. Alex. Gilchrist, D. D.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.—Exhibit of Corrugated, Mr. Coussé's "At the Spring." Open daily 2 to 4:30. Admission 15 cents.

NOTICE.—Through no fault of ours our Oregon telephone number has been changed to Grant 426. E. H. Moorehouse & Co.

WHERE TO DINE TODAY.

"Best of them all"—so remark Portland citizens as well as visitors, concerning the Portland Restaurant, 333 Wash.

The only place to eat, Strouse's restaurant. Everything first class. White table only. 225 Washington st., near 1st.

For home-like cooking go to E. House's Cafe, 123 Third street; he only buys the best; fresh eggs, milk and cream from his own ranch daily.

The 25c mid-day lunch at the Perkins is the best in Portland. D. H. Brown.

ODD CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA

SOUTHERN OREGON MAN USES DRY, CLEAN SAND.

One Teaspoonful Taken at Night Has Relieved Him of All Gastrointestinal Troubles.

William Bybee, a pioneer of Jacksonville, has eaten sand for his health the past 20 years, and seems to thrive on it. He thinks sand is the only medicine in the world for stomach troubles, and is not at all backward about recommending it to his friends who are suffering from dyspepsia, or any other affection of the digestive organs. "I was nearly dead from dyspepsia 20 years ago, and had lost all faith in medicine," said Mr. Bybee, at the Esmond yesterday, "when Mrs. Wimer, the wife of a miner on the Applegate River, in Southern Oregon, recommended sand. I was paralyzed below the breast, and I was willing to take chances on anything. I began by swallowing a teaspoonful of dry sand going to bed at night, and I soon noticed that I slept better than for years, though my appetite did not increase for a few weeks. I kept on swallowing the sand regularly until I was well. I have used it off and on, however, ever since, and I carry a vial of dry sand about with me as a tonic. When I happen to overeat or feel the need of a cathartic, I put a spoonful of sand on my tongue and assist it down my throat with a swallow of water. Sand is the only medicine I have taken since 1881, though I have used many other remedies, such as powders and liquids, and my doctor and drug bills were large."

How the sand cure originated Mr. Bybee does not know, but the theory evolved from the practice of some people in the Southern States, who swallowed small bits of gravel as a remedy for chills and fever. "The particles of sand act mechanically on the lining of the stomach and intestines," he said, "and they carry off the surplus mucus from the digestive organs. If small pebbles are swallowed they will clean out the stomach for some little time, until they become coated with mucus, which they carry off. As the particles of sand are almost as fine as flour, there is no danger of clogging the bowels, as there might be should the larger pebbles be used."

"I gather a few quarts of it at a time. When I get it home I wash it in several waters, in order to remove all dirt and vegetable matter, and then I dry it in an oven. I have recommended the remedy to hundreds of persons who could find no relief from stomach troubles, and where the prescription was faithfully followed a cure always resulted. I have in my possession now a letter from a wealthy man in Quebec, who says he owes his life to my remedy, and he wants me to go back there and live with him the remainder of his life. I do not care to take up with his proposition, however, as I tried change of climate for my health about 20 years ago and I came near losing my life. I shall remain where I am. I am 71 years of age now, and I enjoy life in Southern Oregon, being in perfect health, and so I shall remain there the rest of my life. You can tell people that there is no risk whatever in using the sand, as it cannot possibly hurt them, even if it does no good. Sand is about as cheap a medicine as can be taken, as all it costs is the trouble of gathering and cleaning."

Mr. Bybee has been engaged in mining and farming in Jackson County for many years, and is the owner of the Bybee Springs, which have become quite a summer resort. He is possessed of several placer mining properties and about 5000 acres of land in Rogue River Valley, and has the reputation of being a very fortunate man.

CURIOUS RULE IN LAW.

Because of 87 Cents, Defendant C. Haynes Pays Both Costs.

A curious ending to a suit concerning money due after the sale of two wood yards came up yesterday before Justice of the Peace Kraemer. Loren Seward sued C. Haynes for \$39.37 being the balance claimed after the wood yards changed hands, and Haynes deposited in court the sum of \$32.63, which he stated was all the complainant could ask for. When the case had been argued yesterday, Judge Kraemer found that an error had been made in the sum deposited, and gave a verdict in favor of the complainant for \$7.74, making the sum payable by the defendant \$32.63 in all. This finding entitled the complainant to recover his costs, amounting to over \$20, so that the defendant has now to pay his own costs and that of the opposite side. It was a matter of comment in the courtroom that the finding of the 87 cents additional forced Judge Kraemer, under the law prevailing in courts of Justice of the Peace to make the defendant pay both costs in the action. In the Circuit Court this procedure is reversed.

False Pretense Charged.

J. G. Coughlan was arrested yesterday by Policeman Scott on the East Side on a warrant from a Constable of Marion County, in which Coughlan is charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. The prisoner will be taken to Salem today.

Sidetrack for Montavilla.

The Montavilla Sub-Basis of Trade, No. 1, held an enthusiastic meeting last evening. Reports were received from those raising the \$350 bonus for the sidetrack, and these showed that all the money but \$10 had been secured. The promoters of the sidetrack proposition were jubilant, and they are certain that

Kid Gloves

Fresh and crisp from the maker. Gloves that fit as a kid glove should. Our regular leader, 95c. We warrant and fit this glove.

At 69c—New lot of Kid Gloves. This lot is for the bargain counter.

Misses' Kid Gloves, 50c and 75c.

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Thomson's 20th Century Models. The corset that made the American woman famous at home and abroad. We are special selling agents.

Our Clock and Suit Room is always crowded. The sample Suits purchased for \$5.00, \$10.00 and \$15.00 attract the crowds. Style and values speak louder than printer's ink.

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STEINWAY, EMERSON, ESTEY, GRAMER AND OTHER PLANOS.

Baby Grands and Uprights—The Entire Stock of a Former Agency of a San Francisco Firm to be Closed Out at Once by Eilers Piano House—Organs Also Included—Easy Payments—Come Early Today.

Please bear in mind that if you intend to secure one of these many bargains while this sale of the Soule Bros. & Johnston stock is in progress, you cannot afford to put off coming. Run in this forenoon at 331 Washington street, see for yourself, and in the purchase of a good piano to fairly educate the whole lot in music, or take a trip to Buffalo, for that matter.

There are several styles of Steinways in stock, and it doesn't take much more than \$400 to get one now. We have quite an assortment of Estey pianos. No need of paying much more than half the former prices asked for a fine Estey now. They are new instruments, accompanied by the respective factory guarantees.

Then come the Emerson pianos. Emerson pianos are good pianos. Soule Bros. & Johnston's prices on Emersons ranged from \$400 to \$500—an average of, say, \$450. It is said that they sold two or three of the Emersons at \$250 each. This morning we will sell these so-called Emersons for what they are worth, for we have nearly a carload of them; and since we have heard of the Nugent piano!

Whoever heard of the Nugent piano? It is a piano that is worth \$1000, although it has been said to be "worth \$250." We offer one of Soule Bros. & Johnston's big oak cases for about half the former price asked for them.

Remember, we have the factory warranties for every instrument in stock. We will deliver pianos at sale prices to any part of the city, and give our regular one year's tuning agreement with every instrument sold.

During this closing-out sale of the Soule Bros. & Johnston stock we will offer also a number of Weber, Chickering, Kimball, Decker, Vose, Wheelock and others at "cut prices."

Pay \$25 down and \$10 a month and take choice.

Remember the street number. Eilers Piano House, corner Third and Washington streets. Entrance 331 Washington street.

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"I think your powder the very finest thing I have ever used."

"The liquid is very refreshing and cleansing, and I feel sure that if used it would result in a much improved condition in the mouths of our patients." Sample, 3c.

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TEETH-BREATH

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the rest of the money will be forthcoming in a few days. The work will then begin on the sidetrack, and the village will be connected with the O. R. & N. line. The promoters are confident that the sidetrack will cause a rise in property values of at least 25 per cent.

UPSTAIRS FOR RENT.

Upstairs over cigar store, 6th and Washington; four rooms. Apply B. B. Rich.

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New High-Grade Pianos

For rent and sale on easy installment plans, to suit the purchaser, at lowest prices. Piano-tuning and repairing. Established 1885. H. Sinsheimer, 72 Third street, near Oak. Phone North 31.

NOTICE.

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Billiards and Pool.

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A clear skin can be cultivated and plainest faces grow lovely using Saffron Skin Cream and Powder. See Mele & F.

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