

NEWS IN BRIEF

Oregonian's Telephone. OREGON. Room 101 Main 677...

AMUSEMENTS.

AM GRAND THEATRE—Tonight at 8:15. Florence Roberts in "Zaza"...

ST. JOHNS HALL THEMSELVES.—Monkey engines were shipped from something over a week ago by West Logging Company...

RECOMMENDATION TO CHANGE IN CITY JAIL.—The recommendation of the Chief of Police that the city jail be removed from its present location to a site between the City Hall and the County Courthouse...

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WOMEN WANT A CLERK.—The States Civil Service Commission is to hold in this city for the purpose of qualifying for the position of a clerk...

WHERE TO DINE.—The best place to patronize the Portland Restaurant, 35 Washington street.

High-Grade Pianos for Rent.—Sold on easy installments. Pianos tuned and repaired. H. Sinsheimer, 7 Third st.

For Societies and Billiard Parlors.—127 5th, adjoining Oregonian Bldg.

Got His Trees Mixed.—A resident of the Nob Hill district, who takes great interest in beautifying his lawn...

REPORT A WORK OF ART.—The sixth annual report of the Forest, Fish and Game Commission of the State of New York...

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AT THE THEATERS

"The Starbuck's." Jasper Starbuck, George Allison, Margaret Starbuck, Mina Gleason...

"Harry Ward's Minstrels." "While the Band is Playing Dixie." Fred Brown, "I'll Love You," Jean Wilson...

Opie Read's four-act character drama, "The Starbuck's," was twice produced yesterday at Baker's Theater...

Clean-cut, bright fun, good singing and clever specialties all go to make up Harry Ward's minstrel show...

There was much interest manifested in the performance of Albert Disque, Salem boy who joined the minstrels only four weeks ago...

Florida Forest Fire. Vivid Description Given in a Private Letter to a Portlander.

The following vivid description of a forest fire in Florida, by Miss Jane M. Cornwall, is from a private letter to relatives in this city...

PERSONAL MENTION. W. H. McMahan, of Corvallis, is at the Perkins.

Dr. J. A. Gelsendorfer, of The Dalles, is a guest at the Perkins.

Don McKay, a well-known business man of Denver, is at the Portland.

C. E. De Camp, a lumberman of Los Angeles, is a guest at the Portland.

C. H. Goizien, a shoe manufacturer of St. Paul, is stopping at the Portland.

C. E. Cochran and F. W. Crawford, two prominent attorneys of Union, are at the Imperial.

Rev. Robert J. Peterson, of San Francisco, is spending a few days in town, on his way to the coast.

W. E. Travis, of Salt Lake, who is largely interested in Government mail contracts, is at the Norton.

Manager H. C. Bowers, of the Portland, has invited the Northwestern Hotel Men's Association to hold their next meeting in this city.

Sam Thall, manager for Florence Roberts, and one of the most popular theatrical men in the country, is at the Portland.

Frank Jaynes, superintendent of the Western Union lines on the Pacific Coast, is in town for a few days and has rooms at the Portland.

General G. O. Howard, Mrs. Caplan's guest of his daughter, is at the St. James Hotel, during his stay in the city...

John L. Reiser, formerly a member of the Wisconsin Legislature, is at the St. Charles. He is secretary and treasurer of a lumber company recently organized in Duluth...

From Spokane—M. Zeetoch, at the Grand Union; C. H. Williams, at the Victoria.

Young Woman Killed. MOOREHEAD, Ky., Feb. 8.—Mose Stegall, a young white woman, was shot and killed here today by Ben Martin.

Funeral of Finley Perrine. SALEM, Or., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Impressive funeral services were held over the remains of the late Finley C. Perrine in the Masonic Temple in this city this afternoon...

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Don't Add a Dollar. H. H. Northrup Cries a Halt at Increasing Burden of Debt.

PORTLAND, Feb. 7.—(To the Editor.)—I recently addressed a communication to The Oregonian in regard to the issue of \$400,000 for the construction of a new bridge...

But it may be said that the water bonds should not be considered, because they take care of themselves. As you say, they take care of themselves, but how? By means drawn from this community; by indirect instead of direct taxation; by water rates instead of a direct levy.

Again, it may be said that this generation should not bear all of the burdens, but the children should share in them. In other words, we should add a new meaning to the motto, "We build for posterity," by allowing posterity to pay for the bridge...

But the Morrison-street bridge at this time is in a state of such advanced decay that it is in a condition to be a source of account of safety. It is only a little over five years ago since all of its timbers were renewed...

Let the people know what we have to meet. Let the people know our present indebtedness. And this is not all, with the exception of about \$50,000, contracted within 15 years.

Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly, let me say enough about the increase of our burdens. H. H. NORTHROP.

OREGON CITY BREVITIES. OREGON CITY, Or., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Paul Schroeder is in the county jail, charged with assaulting his wife's sister, a girl under 16 years of age.

For a Quiet Game of Pool, Parlor, 127 6th, adjoining Oregonian Bldg.

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