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AMUSEMENTS

MARQUAM GRAND THEATRE (Morrison st., bet. 6th and 7th)—Matinee at 2 o'clock, "Evergreen"; evening at 8:30, "The Show Girl."
EMPIRE THEATRE (12th and Morrison)—Matinee at 2:15, evening at 8:15, "The Show Girl."
COLUMBIA THEATRE (14th and Washington)—Matinee at 2:15, evening at 8:15, "The Show Girl."
GRAND THEATRE (Park and Washington)—Continuous vaudeville, 2 to 10:30 P. M.
STAR THEATRE (Park and Washington)—Continuous vaudeville, 2 to 10:30 P. M.
BAKER THEATRE (Third and Yamhill)—Continuous vaudeville, 2:30 to 10:30 P. M.
ARCADE THEATRE (6th and Washington)—Continuous vaudeville, 2 to 10:30 P. M.
LYRIC THEATRE (cor. Alder and 7th)—Continuous vaudeville from 2:30 to 10:30 P. M.

PROBABLE ASSOCIATION MEETS.—The Portland Froebel Association held its regular monthly meeting in the kindergarten of St. Helen's Hall yesterday afternoon, when an instructive and interesting programme was rendered. Business occupied the first portion of the afternoon, during which a communication was read from Mrs. Anne Hoyt, president of the City Federation of Women's Clubs. "Work of the Month of January" was ably reviewed by Miss Helen and illustrated by a chart of pictures. The Sister Superior of St. Helen's Hall read a very excellent paper on "Development of Religious Instincts of the Child," after which a general discussion of kindergarten work in general and the papers read followed, closing the programme.

MANY AT REVIVAL MEETINGS.—Last first week of the evangelistic meetings closed with last night's service in the "Congregational" Church. The meetings have grown in interest and numbers constantly. Today there will be no services, but tomorrow will be an important day. In the morning Mr. Gilliam preached in the Taylor-Street Methodist Episcopal Church; in the afternoon there will be a union service of all the Young People Societies in the city at 2:30 in the First Street Church, and in the evening at 7:30, four churches, Calvary Presbyterian, First Christian and First Congregational, will unite with the Taylor-Street Church for a great people's service. At 10:30 special music will be a feature of this service.

FAVOR IMPROVEMENT OF EAST STARK STREET.—A large number of citizens owning property on East Stark street met last night in the Peace Justice courtroom on Grand avenue and East Morrison street, and after long discussion, declared that they wanted East Stark improved with a fill of solid earth between Ninth and Twelfth, gravel between Twelfth and Sixteenth, and that part between Sixteenth and Twentieth to be redressed. Nothing definite was done, but the meeting adjourned till next Tuesday night, when they will meet at the same place.

OBSERVE EPIPHANY FEAST.—The Feast of the Epiphany was observed by special services in the Episcopal Churches of the city yesterday, but this year there were no Epiphany parties, a quaint custom sometimes followed. Epiphany is, literally, the birthday of the church, the word being made up of two Latin words meaning "to shine." The giving of parties on this occasion is much enjoyed by the young folks of the church, as well as their elders. Cake is served containing all sorts of emblems, and the one who gets the ring to eat is the entertainer for the following year. At St. Mark's yesterday, holy communion was celebrated in connection with the Epiphany feast services.

WILL REBUILD BATHHOUSE.—One of the attractions of Long Beach, Wash., burned three years ago, is to be rebuilt in time for next summer's trade. It is the bathhouse of Ferrell & Canaris, F. E. Canaris, who is an old resident of Long Beach, has now the full ownership of the ground and will spend \$200,000 on a new building. The bathhouse is 160 feet long and will contain warm and cold swimming pools. The bathhouse was the only one of its kind on the beach, being erected directly upon the sands and close to the surf.

OTOPATHS MEET TODAY.—The annual meeting of the Oregon Otopaths' Association will begin this morning in the parlors of the Imperial Hotel. Dr. F. E. Moore, of La Grande, president of the association, will preside. The morning session will be devoted to the reading of reports. In the afternoon, clinics and discussions will be held on the election of officers will be held in the evening.

HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.—The board of directors of the O. R. & N. Co. held its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon. The business of the meeting consisted of the regular work of the board transacted. Nothing out of the ordinary line of business was done at the meeting. There was a good attendance of the members of the board.

FUNERAL OF FRANK C. FRITZ.—The funeral services over the remains of Frank C. Fritz, who was killed by H. E. Loomis, were held yesterday afternoon from the undertaking chapel of F. S. Dunning, East Sixth and Alder streets. Interment was in Lone Fir cemetery. Rev. G. W. Plummer, of the Evangelical Church, conducted the services.

READY REFERENCE ATLAS.—We have received from the publishers a shipment of Ready Reference Atlases and War Maps in colors. Those who failed to get them heretofore may now obtain them at the business office of The Oregonian. Apply at once before the supply is exhausted. Price, 10 cents. By mail, 12 cents.

ECONOMY IN MEAT PURCHASES COUNTS MORE THAN ANOTHER ELSE.—The Independent Market, 127 First street, telephone Main 107, offers choice beef, mutton, and veal; choice rolled roast, 9 cents. They raise their own cattle and sell choice beef lower than any one. 127 First street.

BISHOP THROUGHTS TO SPEAK.—Bishop James M. Thoburn, of India, will speak in Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, East Tenth and East Grand streets, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. His subject is not announced.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD.—The Central Alaska Board of Trade held its annual meeting last night in the hall on Mississippi avenue and Shaver street, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, M. E. Thompson; vice-president, A. Neppach; secretary, J. W. Booth. It was decided to push the matter of getting the Lower Alaska and Klondike Avenue railroads extended to Killingworth avenue, and the following committee was appointed to take the matter up: M. E. Thompson, A. Neppach, A. R. Zeller, J. W. Booth and David Dupont. A delegation from the board will attend a meeting of the North Alaska Improvement Association Monday night, and ask its co-operation. It was also decided to inaugurate active work in Central Alaska in the matter of cleaning up the whole district and preparing for the Lewis and Clark Fair. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance. The Klondike Avenue Hall Association, composed of members of the local Board of Trade, also held its annual meeting, and re-elected all the old officers. The financial report showed that for the hall \$1200 had been received during the year.

SENT IN FALSE ALARM.—Police and fire officials will today endeavor to ascertain the identity of two men who last night at 9 o'clock secured keys to the box at East Twenty-second and Ankeny streets and turned in a false alarm of fire. When the apparatus responded, no one was present. Assistant Chief Holden investigated and learned that two men rushed up to the house where the keys were kept, turned in the call and then disappeared. The scene of the call is a long distance from fire stations, and the runs were very difficult. The object of the two men is yet to be determined. The penalty for ringing a false alarm is a fine and imprisonment.

ADDRESSERS MEN'S MEETING.—Rev. W. J. Harsha, D. D., an evangelist from Denver, Colo., addressed a meeting of men last night at the Men's Rest, and preached a gospel sermon from the text, "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest." His sermon was an appeal to accept salvation, and he illustrated his meaning by telling anecdotes relating to Christian experiences. Dr. Harsha is a fluent speaker and in one of the evangelists sent to the Coast by the evangelization committee of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church. He leaves today for Albany, and will preach there tomorrow.

REVERTS TO FILL.—The Civil Service Commission will call an examination in the very near future for auditor's deputies to fill several vacancies in Mr. Devlin's office. The examination in all probability will be materially the same as the United States civil service examinations for first-class departmental clerks. The date will be announced later.

SHOOTING AND MURDER.—Federal services for Henry H. Loomis and his wife occurred at Lone Fir cemetery yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, and Frank Fritz was buried at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The shooting and murder shot and killed his wife and Fritz, after which he took his own life.

NEW POSTAL RATE.—The local Postoffice has just been advised that pursuant to a postal convention between Canada and Mexico, commencing January 1 all mail matter shall pass between the two countries at the domestic rates of the country of origin, and the meeting adjourned till next Tuesday night, when they will meet at the same place.

NO ONE CASE APPOINTED.—Miss the rare money-saving opportunity presented at Rosenthal's inventory sale.

FULLAM HAS BASKETS FULL OF \$1.75 BOYS' SHOES FOR \$1.00.

FULLAM'S AD. SATURDAY FOR CHILDREN'S SHOES.

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RUSH GOVERNMENT WORK
HEAVY FORCE AT WORK ON PENINSULA STRUCTURES.
Flooring Finished at Bridge of Nations, and Other Work Progressing Rapidly at Other Points.

Work on the group of Government buildings on the island in Gull's Lake is being pushed and already visitors can get an idea of how the buildings will look when they are completed. Over 300 workmen are now engaged under the direction of superintendents and foremen rushing the group. The Government exhibits are being held, though packed ready for shipment, until the buildings are completed sufficiently to be used for purposes of storage.

The flooring of the Bridge of Nations is now laid, and visitors to the grounds can readily pass from the mainland to the island. Work on the flooring and placement of the exhibits will be completed within a short time, and the ornamentation will occupy several weeks after work is started. The landscape gardening is going on at a rapid pace, and the many shady nooks will be a source of great pleasure to visitors, as will the walks and drives and the flowers.

DEFECTS IN ROOF AND FLOOR
Agricultural Palace Must Undergo Several Minor Changes.
The Agricultural Palace at the Exposition grounds, owing to a few minor defects which will be readily repaired, has not been accepted by the commission, and exhibits, which are daily arriving for storage, must be stored in other buildings until the contractor for the Agricultural Palace, J. E. Bennett, has complied with the specifications.

When the inspection of the building occurred it was discovered that the flooring was of an inferior quality and that there were holes in the roof through which the rain entered the building. The contractor agreed to repair these defects and vouchers for final payment are being held up until this is done. Contractor Bennett complains that the holes in the roof were made by the electricians when wiring was in progress.

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REFUSED HIM LUMBER.
A. S. Ellis Continues Suit Against the City Retail Lumber Company.
The suit of Arthur S. Ellis vs. the Inman, Poulsen Lumber Company et al. for the recovery of damages to the amount of \$2,225 was begun in the United States Court yesterday. A car of exhibits has reached here from Idaho, and several cars have been shipped from California, intended for space in the Agricultural Palace. As soon as these cars from California arrive in Portland, Commissioner will come from that state to superintend the unloading. It is expected that the Palace will be finished and accepted at an early date, to permit of the storage of exhibits.

WHERE TO DINE.
All the delicacies of the season at the Portland Restaurant, fine private apartments for parties. 306 Wash., near 5th.
Ticket Nominated at Newberg.
NEWBERG, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special).—At a citizens' caucus last night the following ticket was nominated: Mayor, Jesse Edwards; Recorder, W. W. Nelson; Treasurer, J. C. Colcord; Councilmen, First Ward, Rev. T. Brouillette; Second Ward, J. Frank Taylor; Third Ward, two-year term, H. I. Morris; one-year term, W. A. Moomaw. Monday, January 9, is the date of the coming election.

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