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AMUSEMENTS.
COLUMBIA THEATER (14th and Washington)—Evening at 8, "Dora Thorne."
EMPIRE THEATER (12th and Morrison)—Matinee at 2:15 and evening at 8:15. "Ten Nights in a Bar-room."
STAR THEATER (Park and Washington)—Continuous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M.
GRAND THEATER (Park and Washington)—Continuous vaudeville, 2:30 to 10:30 P. M.
BAKER THEATER (2d and Yamhill)—Continuous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M.

CANDIDATE MAKES PROMISE.—At a recent meeting of the citizens of Midway, on the Milwaukie road, in the interest of a movement to get some fire protection, a candidate for Councilman from the Seventh Ward was present. It was set forth how much fire hydrants and hose were needed in that growing section of the ward. The candidate saw a chance. He arose and said that if elected he would work to supply as those needed things. He went so far as to say that if the city would not furnish the 1000 feet of hose he would go down in his pocket and get the hose himself. Inasmuch as good fire hose is about \$1 a foot, the candidate is for it should be elected. The citizens of Midway are now talking of requiring the candidate to put down his promise in black and white, then they will give him a big boost.

TO EXTEND ST. JOHN'S SPIRIT.—The O. E. & N. Company will extend its St. Johns branch from its present terminus for some distance, it will be extended so as to reach the ground recently purchased by the Weyerhaeuser Milling Company. According to the record in the County Clerk's office the spur will be extended to the southeast quarter of section 6, township 1 north, range 1 east, Willamette Meridian. Many of the St. Johns residents interpret this extension to mean that the Smith farm of some 80 acres to the northward is to be made the site of a great packing-house.

HUMANITARIAN SOCIETY.—The custom of the late D. P. Thompson of encouraging a spirit of kindness to domestic animals on the part of children is to be continued by the estate, and J. N. Teal has placed in the hands of the Oregon Humane Society \$50 for this purpose. This money will be awarded in two \$10 prizes and two \$5 prizes for the best compositions presented by the pupils of the public schools on the subject of kindness to animals. The competition will take place some time in May.

WORK FOR GOOD OF INDIA.—Banarjee Circle of the Indo-American League will meet with Mrs. E. A. Beak, 23 Everett and Eighteenth streets, on Saturday, at 2 o'clock. A general attendance of members and friends is requested at this meeting, as there is much to be done in the way of encouraging news from Mrs. Sukhoda Banarjee and her work in Calcutta.

DELAYED BY ROCK SLIDE.—The craving down of a part of Elk Rock, about three miles this side of Oswego, on the Southern Pacific, caused a delay in the forenoon traffic between that city and Portland yesterday. The slide took place some time during the morning hours of yesterday, and is the second to happen at that point within a short time.

FUNERAL OF A PIONEER.—The funeral of W. S. Gordon, a pioneer of 1860, and for 28 years a business man of the South, was held yesterday afternoon in Gresham and was largely attended. Mr. Gordon during his long business life in East Portland was respected by all who came into contact with him, either socially or in a business way.

RETURNS FROM LONG BEACH.—Lester T. Hodson has returned from Long Beach, Cal., where he spent the winter for his health. He is accompanied by his friend, Paul Noble, of that place. Young Hodson is a son of State Senator C. W. Hodson, of Portland. His health is much improved.

AT TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL.—This being the week of the Passover Festival, Dr. Stephen S. Wise will preach a Passover sermon at Temple Beth Israel, on Friday evening, on "Is Man Free?" a study on the problem of human freedom and responsibility. Strangers are always welcome.

NORTH PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.'s commodious steamship Roanoke, 2600 tons, sails for San Francisco and Los Angeles, calling at Coos Bay and Eureka, Thursday, April 20, from Columbia Dock, No. 1. Ticket office, 251 Washington street. H. Young, agent.

WILL GIVE LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT.—The Sunnyside Literary Society will entertain its members at a social evening with a literary and musical programme. The dramatic branch of the society will give some vaudeville numbers.

FUNERAL OF MABEL BANNON.—Funeral services for Mabel Bannon, who fell from the trestle spanning Marquam Gulch, will take place this morning at 10 o'clock. They will be held at Finley's chapel. Burial will be in Lone Fir Cemetery.

Excursion to Seaside next Sunday, via the A. & C. R. R. Train leaves Union Depot at 8 A. M. Fare for the round trip only \$1. Tickets at 245 Alder street and the Union Depot.

"OUR ISLANDS." Several sets of "Our Islands" for sale cheap. A few damaged sets at your own price. Address or call at Oregonian business office.

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Refuse to Pay Death Watch. The County Commissioners' Court yesterday refused to approve a bill for \$125 presented by Sheriff Word for the wages of two guards who acted as a death watch over Frank Guglielmo, the murderer of Freda Guarnasola. After the Supreme Court affirmed the judgment of the lower court, and while the Sheriff was awaiting the mandate of the Supreme Court, he employed guards to watch Guglielmo, because it was known Guglielmo desired to commit suicide, and had endeavored to obtain morphine from trustees. The guards were authorized by Judge George, Judge Webster and County Commissioners Barnes and Lightner have deferred payment of the bill pending an inquiry into the facts, but will probably authorize its payment later on. The court refused to pay another bill presented for services rendered by Jasper Fuller, guard in the Warwick Club poolroom, amounting to \$15. This action was expected, because other bills of this same kind have been turned down.

Sheriff Word says if the County Court will give him two more deputies and pay the expense bills, there will be things doing in the red-light district which are passed by now. He says he has only four men, who are working night and day to take care of the office work, and have not time to attend to other matters in which the public is interested that the police pass by.

WHERE TO DINE. All the delicacies of the season at the Portland Restaurant, fine, private apartments for parties. 36 Wash., near 15th.

SERMONS BY AMERICA'S FOREMOST MINISTER

Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, Pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, Will Contribute to The Sunday Oregonian.



REV. NEWELL DWIGHT HILLIS.

By special arrangement, The Sunday Oregonian will publish each week a sermon, talk or special article by Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn. This feature will begin next Sunday, April 23, with an Easter sermon: "The Homing Instinct and the Immortal Hope."

It is scarcely necessary to speak of Dr. Hillis' position in the literary and religious world. He is not only a great preacher, worthy successor of Beecher, but he is the author of eight books—one of these a novel—which have sold, thus far, nearly 200,000 copies. Dr. Waters, in a recent magazine article, says that Dr. Hillis is the best known living preacher of the English race.

Things Heard in the Rotundas

"My trip through Nevada was exceedingly interesting," said Marion Lawrence, of Toledo, O., who is in Portland to attend the Oregon Sunday School Convention. "There are 10,000 square miles in that state, but they have only 42 Sunday schools. In several of the counties, as large as some of our Eastern States, they have not a single Sunday school. Of course, the small population accounts for it, but I was nevertheless surprised when I visited there."

"Nevada is the greatest state in the Union for mushroom towns. Rich strikes will be made and the people will flock in and build up a town. Maybe in two or three months or a year the mines will give out, and the men will be thrown out of work. Then the town is abandoned. These deserted villages are scattered all over Nevada."

"In some of the towns, which were built high in the mountains, goods and stocks are to be found in the stores. The goods were transported over the mountains at a great expense and installed just at the time the booms collapsed. The merchants, realizing that it would cost more than they were worth to transport them back over the mountains, left the goods behind. Several of the towns that were deserted were of fairly good size and at one time very prosperous."

"The Japs firmly believe that they are the strongest of nations," said Mrs. N. Dwyer, formerly of Portland and Salem, but now of Shanghai, China, at the Hotel Portland yesterday. "I do not think they would hesitate to tackle any of the largest European powers, as their success with the Russian arms have given them almost untold confidence."

"I was in Japan when the war first started. I returned there about six months later. I was never so surprised in my life to see the change that had taken place with the Japs. Formerly they took place to cringe before the foreigners, but such is not the case now. They consider themselves just as good as the white people, and are not as courteous to them as they formerly were. They are more friendly to the Americans than to the other visitors."

"The rapidity of the increase of population among the Japs is remarkable. I never saw so many children in my life as I did in Japan. The streets were lined with them. It is no uncommon sight to see girls about 6 years of age taking care of small babies. The children arrive so fast that it is necessary that the older girls take care of them."

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. G. Ankeny, a Eugene banker, is at the Imperial. Will Wright, a Union merchant, is a guest at the Imperial.

S. B. Huston, an attorney at Hillsboro, is a guest at the Imperial. Dr. Stephen S. Wise, of the Temple Beth Israel, will leave within the next few days for St. Louis. He is registered at the Portland.

J. A. Fletcher, a member of the Lewis and Clark Commission from California, is a guest at the Imperial.

Mrs. Frank Wiggins, from Los Angeles, who belongs to the Lewis and Clark Commission from California, is a guest at the Imperial.

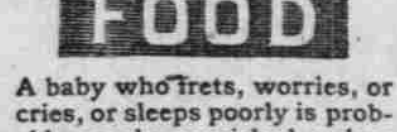
Thomas R. Wilson, bookkeeper at the State Penitentiary, is in Portland for a few days. He is registered at the Perkins Hotel.

George W. Lilly, for the past eight years Assistant City Engineer at Columbus, O., arrived yesterday to make his future home in this city. He expects to engage in irrigation engineering work.

NEW YORK, April 20.—(Special)—Northwestern people registered at New York hotels today as follows: Fred Portland—A. J. Tibbarn, at the Navarre.

From Everett, Wash.—W. Howarth, at the St. Denis. From Port Angeles, Wash.—J. Cain, at the Astor.

From Spokane—J. F. Sloane, at the Broadway Central. From Seattle—A. Moore, at the Breslin; J. D. Blockwell, at the Continental.



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Prominent Republicans, irrespective of faction, have eagerly indorsed the candidacy of A. B. Manley for Councilman-at-large. An inspection of his



A. B. MANLEY.

record shows that he has been a member of the Oregon Sunday School Convention for many years. He has been a member of the Oregon Sunday School Convention for many years. He has been a member of the Oregon Sunday School Convention for many years. He has been a member of the Oregon Sunday School Convention for many years.

ADULTERATED CREAM.

Cut cans and look for gritty sediment in bottom of cans. \$1000 reward for proof of any adulteration in either Oregon Grape or Pacific brands of evaporated cream.

Held Up and Robbed on Street.

W. B. Montgomery has reported to the police that he was held up and robbed of some small change near Seventh and Columbia streets about 11:30 o'clock last night. The robber was masked.

Damage From Frost, One Million.

NORFOLK, Va., April 20.—A large truck farmer in Virginia today estimates that the damage done to crops by the late cold snap will amount to over \$1,000,000 to farmers of Tidewater, Va., alone.

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City's Offenders Before Judge Hogue

Many women appeared in the Municipal Court yesterday to give testimony in the case of the state against Claud Quivey, charged with larceny by trickery. Only one was placed on the stand, after which the case was continued until next Monday for further hearing. Quivey is the man who has been conducting an alleged art gallery in the Cosmos House, and charging women for portraits and for lessons said never to have been given by him. Mrs. Cora Walling, living at 824 Fourth street, swore that she had dealings with the defendant, and that she paid him \$4.50 from which she never received any returns.

A tale of unusual cruelty on the part of a husband, was told Judge Hogue by Mrs. Myrtle Conception, wife of John M. D. Conception, a Frenchman. The woman is a cripple, and he is but recently out of San Quentin, one of the California state prisons, where he was sentenced to serve a year for the larceny of a bicycle.

"My husband, to whom I was married four months ago, has never supported me," said the woman who complained against him for using obscene and abusive language toward her the previous night, on Washington street. "He got out of San Quentin by an appeal to the officials that he wished to support his crippled wife, but he has never helped me. In the first place, he compelled me to marry him, saying he would shoot me if I refused. "I am now working in the match factory here, making from 20 to 45 cents a day."

Open River Men to Incorporate.

Articles of incorporation of the Open-River Transportation Company will be filed today, and this will mark the formal undertaking of the project of the Open-River Association to provide water transportation on the upper river in connection with the portage railroad. This transportation company, born of the Open-River Association, will be empowered to build, purchase or lease steamboats and river craft for operation on the Columbia and its tributaries. Its capital stock will be \$100,000, and it will have as incorporators J. J. Smith, president of the association, Henry Hahn and A. H. Devers.

Vanderbilt University Burned.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 20.—The main building of Vanderbilt University was destroyed by fire today. The fire originated from a defective fuse. The loss will be almost total, only a few fixtures being saved. The total loss is placed at \$200,000. The operation of the university will not be interfered with. So far as known no one was injured.

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