

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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AMUSEMENTS.

DELARCO THEATER (14th and Washington)—Evening at 8:15, "Are You a Mason?" Empire Theater (12th and Morrison)—Matinee at 2:15 and evening at 8:15, "A Secret Fox."

THE OREGONIAN AT THE SUMMER RESORTS.

The Oregonian will be delivered by carrier and will be on sale at the principal points on Long Beach, at Seaside and Yaquina Bay throughout the coming season. It will also be on sale at Gearhart Park, Nye Beach, Willits, Collins Hot Springs and St. Martin's Springs (Cannon Beach).

RUINED BY LOCK TRICK.—Elisha Perkins, aged 64 years, came to Portland from the country yesterday to take in the Fair, and before nightfall was buncoed out of \$25 through the medium of the lock trick. Perkins could not give accurate descriptions of the bunco men, but detectives think they know the guilty persons, as they have been under surveillance for some time. An investigation will be made. The \$25 Perkins lost was all the money he had on his person, and last night he was obliged to seek financial assistance from friends.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ELIZABETH C. KNAPP.—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth C. Knapp was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. George D. Greene, 25 1/2 Eleventh street. Rev. Henry Marcotte, assisted by Rev. W. S. Gilbert, conducted the services. Mrs. Knapp was 80 years old. She came to Portland three years ago from New York. She was the mother of Mrs. George D. Greene, Mrs. Jesse Walrath and Miss Ann M. Knapp, of Portland.

ST. JOHNS WILL VOTE ON BONDS.—Next Monday evening, June 13, the taxpayers of the St. Johns School District No. 2, will vote for or against the issuing of \$10,000 in bonds for building four more rooms to the present six-room schoolhouse. The board of directors will be present and hold the election. It is generally understood that more room must be had or a considerable portion of the school population will have to remain out of school next year.

FUNERAL OF ELBA ROSEBROOK.—The funeral of Elba Gertrude Rosebrook was held yesterday afternoon from the Methodist Church at Graham and the interment was in the Gresham Cemetery. She came from Central, Wash., recently, and died at the home of Dr. Hickman, East Thirty-third and Clinton streets. She was 72 years of age. Her mother lives at Gresham.

DEATH OF MISS ANNA BELLE TURNER.—Miss Anna Belle Turner, daughter of J. Turner, died yesterday at her home, 194 East Nineteenth street. She was 27 years of age, and came to Portland with her parents from Forest Grove 14 years ago. Her funeral will take place from the residence today, and interment will be in Lone Fir Cemetery.

WILL WELCOME THE GRADUATES.—Oscar Willing, Leon Gallinger and Clyde Willing are the graduates from the Woodward School. They will be handed their diploma without ceremony. Wednesday evening at Campbell's Hall, Umatilla avenue, the Bellwood Alumni Association will hold a meeting, and receive these graduates into full membership.

WILL SUPPLY SCHOOLS.—The following firms yesterday were awarded contracts by the municipal board of education for furnishing the city schools with miscellaneous supplies for the ensuing year: Halsey-McFall Co., J. K. Gill Co., Sanborn Hall, Coast Agency Co., Zan Bros., W. T. Fuller & Co., Portland Iron Works and Loop Brush Co.

ELIGIBLE AS FIREMEN.—Fred B. Day, Harry Livingstone and Frederick W. Kipper were yesterday written up by Campbell by the Civil Service Commission as eligible to take the place of H. J. Epperson, a member of Truck Company No. 1, who has resigned. The names of the foregoing will be selected to fill the vacancy.

THE large double-deck excursion barge "Kickstart" and steamer "Glenora" may now be chartered for day and week-end light trips. Capacity, day, 600 persons; night, 700 persons. Good dancing floor and electric lights. For rates and dates apply Oregon Boat and Motor Co., 311 Burnside street. Phone Main 1517.

WILL BE PAVED WITH CRUSHED ROCK.—The fill on East Washington street between Union avenue and Water street, will be paved with crushed rock from the Estacada crusher. It had been decided to plank the embankment, but the property-owners concluded that crushed rock would be best.

NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SIBBIE, who are now visiting Portland are cordially invited to call and leave their names and addresses with the potentate, George H. Hill, 4 Chamber of Commerce, or with the recorder, B. G. Whitehouse, Portland Gas Co., Yamhill street, corner Fifth St.

PAY OFFICIAL CALL TO MAYOR.—Captain F. H. Holmes, commander of the cruiser "Marblehead," accompanied by Lieutenant-Commander John Halley Blackburn, made an official call on Mayor Williams yesterday. The city's executive will return the compliment this morning.

PICKPOCKET STRALS WATCH.—Roberta Jones, 309 Alder street, reported to the police last night that a pickpocket had relieved her of a gold watch on a Third-street car. A description of the watch and the thief was furnished the department, and detectives are working on the case.

VERY low excursion rates to points East. Full particulars at the Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 24 Morrison street, corner Third. If not convenient to call, drop a card to A. D. Chastain, A. G. F. A., and detailed information will be given you.

RACE! RACE! RACE! PORTLAND HUNT CLUB! ANNUAL FIELD DAY! INVITATION TO RACE TRACK! SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1:30 P. M.

TO LECTURE AT UNITY HALL.—Swami Trienanthia, a Vedantist, will lecture Thursday night at Unity Hall, 2944 Morrison street, on "Meditation and Concentration." The public is invited.

BROOKLYN GRADUATION EXERCISES.—Brooklyn School graduating exercises will be held Thursday evening, June 13, in the assembly hall, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. The exercises will be held Wednesday evening, as formerly announced.

FOR SALE.—Tractor of land bounded by Washington, Twenty-third and Cornell Roads, formerly known as "Gambine Garden." Max Smith, The Savoy Restaurant, 167 Fifth street.

SUNSHINE GRADUATING EXERCISES.—About 800 witnessed the graduating exercises of the Sunnyside school. Those receiving certificates were Frank E. Anderson, Irene Chandler, Frances D. Clark, Letitia A. Densen, Frances I. Groll, Jessie I. Gurn, William Hansen, Edna M. McEwen, Harold Minor, Hazel G. Norman, William West, Nellie G. Riehoff, Ethel C. Snook, George Steele, Richard H. Ward. An interesting program was rendered. W. Wallace Peery, class president, presided and gave the opening address. Music was by the class orchestra. Harold Minor gave the valedictory. Professor Ed D. Curtis, principal of the Sunnyside School, presented the certificates with an appropriate address. Following the program Russell Stanley, retiring president of the Alumni Association, made a brief address, and then read the address of the class of 1906 from Harry Ward, treasurer, and the class became members of the Sunnyside School Alumni Association. Miss Verona McCowan, new president of the Alumni Association, delivered her inaugural address. At the close of the program the graduating class, headed by Mrs. Curtis, the principal, and Miss Rathburn, teacher of the ninth grade, with tokens of regard.

FIRE PROTECTION ASKED.—At a meeting of the Health and Police Committee of the City Council yesterday, a communication was received from the Willamette Heights Association, to the effect that the section west of Balch Creek Canyon is without adequate fire protection, and asking the board to have a hose carriage and 300 feet of hose, the petitioners offering to erect at their own expense a suitable building for the apparatus, and also organize a volunteer fire company with regular drills. The petitioners set forth as one of their claims for consideration that the number of residences in the district has almost doubled within the past year. The matter will come up at the regular meeting of the City Council tomorrow.

BOYS STEAL NEWSPAPERS.—A band of youngsters, led by a colored boy, has been stealing Oregon papers in its residential sections for the past few mornings. Among those to suffer Sunday morning was Captain of Police Gritzmacher. Yesterday morning the gang swooped down on the neighborhood and carried away at least 100 papers. They were seen by a pedestrian, who gave chase. They dropped the Oregonians and the man carried to police headquarters. An effort is being made to capture the thieves.

CRUISE AGAINST IMMORAL WOMEN.—Under the command of Sergeant Glover, a squad of police officers last night began a cruise against immoral women on the city's streets, arresting several and taking them to the station, where they were placed in the City Jail on vagrancy charges. The cruise was led by Chief of Police Hunt and adopted drastic measures because of the influx of this undesirable class, due to the Exposition.

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KILLED BY THE CAR.—John Antell was the man who was run over and killed by a motor car on the city streets yesterday morning. He was intoxicated, it is said, and could not get off the track in time to escape death. He was an employee of the North Pacific Lumber Company. He was aged 23. His burial will occur today at 4 o'clock.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION.—Rev. J. Whitcomb Brogger has been selected to deliver the address at the graduation exercises of the High School, which take place tomorrow evening at the Marquam Grand. It is expected that the graduating class will consist of about 50 pupils, who have thus finished their High School education.

W. E. PETTINGER DIED.—W. E. Pettinger, a railroad man, died at his home Monday night at 10:30 o'clock. He was 42 years of age, and a native of York, N. H. He leaves a widow and a brother, G. H. Pettinger, of the Pacific Coast Biscuit Company. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

NEEDS WILL GRADUATE.—Final preparations for the graduating exercises of the nurses of the Good Samaritan Hospital have been made. The exercises will take place tonight in Nurses' Home, Twenty-fourth and Marshall streets. A class of 15 will graduate.

BODY RECOVERED FROM RIVER.—The body of George Baker, who fell from a saw into the river at the foot of Yamhill street several weeks ago, was recovered yesterday afternoon and was buried in the County Cemetery by Coroner Finley.

PERMIT TO IMPROVE.—W. H. Morehouse has been granted a permit by the City Engineer to improve lot 11, in block 7, Belmont, by grading 100 lineal feet to the established grade.

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THEY STEAL ROSES Three Young Men Are in Jail for Offense.

Charged with the larceny of flowers, William Baker, H. Reed and H. Dover were arraigned in the Municipal Court yesterday morning. They seemed to regard their arrest as a joke at first, but when informed by Judge Hogue that they might be sent to jail for one year and fined as high as \$100, they became very serious.

Although the young men stated to Judge Hogue that they did not wish an attorney to represent them, he told them, after hearing some testimony, that he would continue the case one day, and that they had best give the matter a little more thought.

Patrolman Ellis, attached to the Uplush-street station, saw the three prisoners going west on Thurman street shortly after 4 A. M. yesterday. He followed them and noticed that they would go into every yard that he passed and come out with their arms full of roses and stems. Patrolman Ellis finally overtook the trio and asked them what they were doing out at that hour. They replied that they had been out "slumming." When asked where they got all the flowers, they said they got them out of yards along the street.

"I took the three men in charge and sent them to the station," said Patrolman Ellis, when on the witness stand. "They had their hats on their heads and their hands full of roses and portions of the bushes they had torn off."

The young prisoners are sons of Eastern parents, and decline to tell from whence they came. They said they came to Portland to see the Lewis and Clark Exposition. It is understood that one of them is from Denver. All are said to be of wealthy and prominent families. They were well dressed and wore diamonds.

FLEISCHNER A CANDIDATE. Petitioned by School Electors, He Consents to Run for Director.

In response to the request of the signers of the following petition, I, N. Fleischner, yesterday consented to the use of my name as a candidate for the office of director of this school district. The petition and his response follow: Portland, May 13, 1905.—To I. N. Fleischner, city—Sir: The undersigned school electors of Portland, Oregon, hereby petition you to be a candidate for the office of director of this school district. In case you consent to become a candidate we promise you the support of our votes and influence. Yours very truly, I. N. Fleischner, J. B. Wilcox, W. W. Johnson, S. C. Catching, W. A. Marshall, P. A. Jones, A. Pellenheimer, W. J. Pullam, E. G. Wainstock, W. B. Glafie, Fred J. Merrill, W. H. Clague, A. A. Spencer, J. D. Meyer, I. Shashan, J. C. MacFarlane, Wm. A. MacFarlane, James B. O'Shea, Charles S. Archer, John T. McDonnell, Benj. L. Cohen, A. Y. Ellis, Dan McAllen, (Judge) Arthur L. Roberts, J. H. Page, E. P. Peterson, Harry Beck, D. Seckitt, Ben Seckitt, George H. Williams, Francis Healy, Blumauer, Horace D. Ramsdell, Adolph F. H. McCracken, Egbert Young & Co., J. C. Oida, W. C. King, F. W. Wampler, E. R. Kumbler, Goddard, Kelly, Shoemaker, J. K. Gill, Sam Rosenblatt, H. W. Jones, Dave Campbell, Milton Winters, Jacob Rosenblatt, Paul Metchan, F. W. Rose, F. J. Tread.

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BANNERIE CIRCLE ASSISTS Helps School in India and Travelers' Aid Association.

The Sukhoda (Bannerie) Circle, organized to aid rescue work for girls in Calcutta, India, held an interesting meeting at the office of the Travelers' Aid Association Monday afternoon, Mrs. Abigail Scott Duff was presiding. Mrs. M. A. E. Stone brought the latest news from Sukhoda's Hope School in India, and resolutions were passed promising that Portland Circle would support a native worker at Hope School.

Mrs. Altman read in a very pleasing manner "The Centennial Ode," written by Mrs. Dunaway, and Mrs. McKing followed with two of her limberable recitations. The ladies then turned their attention

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