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AMUSEMENTS

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER (Morrison st, bet, 6th and 7th)—Matines at 2:30 o'clock, evening at 8:30, the great Mc-Ewen, hypotist, mind-reader, magician and entertainer.

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DEATH OF JAMES B. SINNOTT .- James B. Sinnott, a Portland attorney, died yester-day morning at St. Vincent's Hospital, at brancisco. His father and mother are in making a tour of Europe. He leaves two brothers in Alaska, and a sister in Portland, Mrs. J. T. McDonaid. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon from St. Mary's church, Williams avenue and Stanton street, at 2 o'clock.

FAVOR VIRGIL'S IDEA.—Ten days ago, E. H. Virgil, a citizen of the East Side, announced that he was ready to go in with another man and erect a toll bridge across Sullivan's Guich on Grand avenue, across Sullivan's Guich on Grand avenue, provided the city would give them a franchise to do the work and collect a small toll, and take the structure off their hands. The bridge was to be of wood, and cost \$12,000. Since Mr. Virgil made his offer through The Oregonian, he has been swamped with offers from different parts of the United States by persons who want to build this toll bridge

THE City Messenger & Delivery Co. will give permanent employment to boys be-tween 14 and 16 years of age, or older. The work is easy, healthful and pleasant. Delivery of telegrams, letters and small pack-ages are the only duties required. Steady, earnest and intelligent boys can earn from \$20 to \$50 per month. Cigarette smoking, profanity or rowydism not permitted. From 20 to 20 such boys wanted at once. Apply at main office, 1% Sixth street, or Postal Telegraph office, 128 Third street."

LANDED HIS MAN .- Constable Howen of the Mount Tabor Court, arrested William Saylor, at Troutdale Wednesday, on a warrant charging him with assaulting a farmer's boy. Saylor at first resisted arrest, but Constable Bowen convinced him that he had better go quietly. A friend of Saylor undertook to assist him in resisting, and Constable Bowen took him along for a distance of five miles and then let him go. Saylor was placed under bonds by Justice Shreves.

AT FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH-Corner Park and Madison streets, tomorrow, Dr. Van Horn, who has preached to large audiences last two Sundays, will again occupy the pulpit Morning subject, "A Message from the Sen-A Sermon for Vacation." Evening subject, "Wrong by 6 -999; A Study of Doubt and Discouragement." By many, Dr. Van Horn is con-sidered the greatest preacher that has risited Portland this Summer. Special

REPAIRING WOODEAN HALL -Repairs eing made to Woodmen of the World Hall, East Sixth street, which will cost about \$1000. The building will be ready for occupancy next Friday evening, when it will be reopened with a jubilee. The building has been repainted throughout. Inside, the ceiling has been paneled, which is expected to improve the acous-

APTER THE WOOLEN MILL-St. Johns is after the woolen mill that Sellwood did not get. Dr. Hensel circulated a subscription paper this week to find how many would take stock in the concern if it be established at St. Johns. In a many would take stock in the concern it it be established at St. Johns. In a short time he secured over \$7000. It is said that if St. Johns subscribes \$20,000 to the stock, it may get the enterprise.

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To FAIR VISITORS.—Do not fail to see Astoria's great regulta August 29, 30 and 31, Round-trip tickets via the A. & C. R. R. only \$3.00. Sold on August 28, 29 and 30. Good for return until September I. A beautiful trip along the banks of the Columbia River. For information see C. A. Stewart, agent, 248 Alder street, or

SAYS LACK OF WATER CAUSED TROUBLE -- Commissioner Lightner says that the reason the wood block pavement on the east approach to the Burnside bridge is causing trouble is for the lack of water. If the bridge had been sprinkied Commissioner Lightner thinks there would have been no trouble.

Sightseens.—Don't overlook the 100-

mile trolley trip for \$1.96 on the O. W. P. & Ry. Co. with two hours' stop at Estacada for lunch; beautiful scenery, cool and comfortable; train leaves Wirst and Alder streets daily, except Sunday, at \$1.90 A. M.; return, 4.00 P. M.

MOTHERS' CLUB IS INVITED .- The mem bers of the Mothers' and Teachers' Club, of the Brooklyn School, are invited as a whole by the City of Scattle to be present at a reception to be given in the Washington building, Friday, September 1, from

REPAIRING EAST OAK-STREET SEWER. The City Engineer has a force at work repairing the Bast Oak-street sewer, which was broken for a distance of over a block during the late fire. The sewer will have to be placed on brackets across

TAYLOR-street Methodist Church, morn ing Dr. Toungston, "The Christian Para-dox." Evening, the paster, "Strength Requirements." Soloists, Miss Greer and Requirements." Soloists, Miss Miss Case. Strangers invited.

"Was Jesus Christ a Christian?" - Dr. Brougher's topic, the White Temple, Sun-day night. Soloists, Miss Crayne, of Ber-Lauren Pease. Orchestra, Visitors

OREGON CITY RIVER TRIPS.-A charming river ride of 25 miles for 25 cents. Boats leave Taylor street Sunday 8:30, 9:20, 11:30

S O'CLOCK SHARP.

Concert by the Norwegian Singers will be given at Festival Hall, August 27, 8 o'clock. Doors open 7:20 P. M. \$10 week; baths, Mc. Regulator line *

CARS ON EAST BURNSIDS STREET.-East Burnside-street bridge is now crowded with cars. Morning and evening an av-erage of 3 cars an hour cross the bridge. and during the day the average is about 60 an hour. This increase is caused by the Montavilla and East Twenty-eighth street cars being transferred to Burnside bridge while the break on Grand avenue is being repaired. It is thought the tracks

THE CALUMET Restaurant, 148 Seventh. OFFICIAL SPOONS have Pres. Goode's sig.

CARS ARE TOO CROWDED

Patrons on the Mount Scott Line Ask O. W. P. for Relief.

"If cattle cars were packed with stock is are human beings on some of the pas senger cars on the Mount Scott branch of the O. W. P., in the mornings and even nge, the company would be prosecuted for cruelty to animals."

The foregoing remark was made yester day by W. A. Schooling, resident of Arle-

ondition at their places of employment.
would ask the management how it would like its wives and daughters to be wedged in among a lot of men, as are day morning at St. Vincent's riospital, at 25 years of age. He was taken to the hospital four days ago, and died from a complication of long standing. Mr. Sinnott was a native of this city, and graduated from St. Mary's School in San these can be used. A short trailer, about 18 feet long is used. I counted 10 persons

> committee from the Arleta Push Club called on the managers this week. The plan is to extend the Reservoir branch which now ends at the Section Line road, south to a connection with the Mount Scott line, and double-track the line through to Lents. With this extension, through to Lentz. With this extension, completed cars will be operated every 10 minutes between Lents and the junction of the reservoir and Mount Scott branches Here one car will swing around by the reservoir, as at present, and the other car will run through the cut to Hawthorne avenue. This arrangement, if carried out, will give Mount Scott and way points tenminute service, instead of 15-minute. The ompany can get the right of way to extend its reservoir branch to a co with the Mount Scott line.

HE WAS NOT VOTED OUT

Recorder Declares Edward Still a Member of St. Johns Council.

not voted out at the former meeting. He says that as but three Councilmen voted at all there was not even a major-

The other three, Leggett, Shields and Brice, refused to vote when their names were called," said Recorder Hanks, "which made is impossible to vote Ed-wards out. There is no law to compel these men to vote, and hence as there were but three votes cast, Edwards could not have been voted out. I am could not have been voted out. I am sorry to mix in the affair, but I felt that as Edwards was still a member under the law that his name must be called with the other members."

Monday night the Council will hold a meeting, when some action may be taken.

DR. C. C. POLING TO RETURN

He Will Resume the Presidency of the Dallas College.

Rev. C. C. Poling, D. D., president of he Dullas College, under management of the United Evangelical Church, who has been at Johnstown, Pa., for the past year and a half, will return to Oregon about September 24. Dr. Poling writes that he will leave Chicago September 15 for Oregon.

On his-return, Dr. Poling will resum-On his-return, Dr. Poling will resume the active duties of the presidency of the Dalias College, which he dropped while in the East. He is not making so long a stay East as he expected. Dr. Poling has been occupying the pulpit of the church in Johnston, where he was pastor more than fitteen years ago. He will be welcomed hack to Orrayon and to will be welcomed back to Oregon and to the head of the Dallas school. Dr. Poling one of the most prominent ministers.
United Evangelical denomination.

CROWDS ATTEND DAILY

The Great Sale of Government Goods at Merrill's Garage.

Merrill's Garage, Seventh and Oak streets, is crowded daily with eager pur-chasers of the United States Government goods exposed for sale by W. Stokes Kirk. This stock, consisting of rifles, khaki suits, overcoats, shoes, shirts, underwear, novelties for cozy corners and a hundred other useful and ornamental articles useful to all classes of people, is sold at nom-inal prices, and the place resembles a bee hive from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. each Kirk visits Portland once a year, and his visit is always looked for ward to with interest by thousands of persons who profit by the great bargains offered. The goods are all first-class

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Police Determined to Break Up System.

MAYOR LANE SO DECIDES

Detectives May No Longer Employ Gentry of This Sort to Tip Off Crimes and Thereby Enjoy Immunity From Arrest.

The iniquitous "stoolpigeon" system, "Men and women and girls." continues
Mr. Schooling, "are packed together in the
cars on some of the morning trips so
tightly that they cannot move for the entire trip. It is indecent, and an outrage
on the public. These men, women and
girls, who come into Portland in the morning and return in the evening, have
work all day, but and the morning trips are determined that they will, if possible,
eradicate this blighting partnership with
orime and banish it from the department.
It is proposed to do this, even if it becomes necessary to rid the payroli of the
present high-salaried slauth. enter into any agreement with thugs and murderous lawbreakers. For the benefit of the uninitiated, it

may be explained that a "stoolpigeon" is one who makes it his business to seek out criminals, become friendly with them, and as soon as a trick is turned informs
the favored detective. For this service,
the detective allows the "stoolpigeon"
to operate in the city, to perpetrate
crimes and to go unmolested. A detective frequently rewards a "stoolpigeon" with a meal ticket or cash, to enable him, during "dull times," to maintain himself. Scores of burgiaries, holdups, sneak thefts and various other crimes, are com-mitted by "stoolpigeons," working under protection from detectives.

Many Crimes Charged to Them.

It is estimated that at least half of the crimes committed in Portland are perpetrated by "stoolpigeons," under pro-tection of various detectives. For this co-partnership with crime and criminals, the city pays big salaries. This accounts for the numerous crimes committed and reported from time to time, and for which no one is ever arrested. One of the most notorious "stoolpig-

eons" ever operating in this city is Charles Downing. He works for Detective Joe Day. The latter prides himself upon the "high" order of his "stoolpigeons," disdaining to book up with some of the "lower" class. Day's man Downey, who strolls Portland's streets leisurely, smokes good cigars and drinks good liquor, is a man who is said to know more grafters, pickpockets, bunco men and gold-brick artists than any other individual in America. He "wises" Day up on the do-ings of these gentry, but himself is not

Recorder J. N. Hanks, of the St. Johns city government, who called C. D. Edwards name at the adjourned meeting to the Council Tuesday evening, says he did so for the reason that Edwards was machines, turning royal flushes. netted a handsome income in this man-ner, until caught in the act of "fixing" the machine.

Several Are Arrested.

"Bob" Lucas, arrested this week by Patrolman Scallen and now serving a term of ten days in the City Jail, is only "stoolpigeon" remaining in Port-land of a quartet who once formed a "system" among detectives here that seemed for years unbreakable. The others were Fred Love, allas Oregon Whitey; "Chic" Houghton and Fred Raymond. "wioolpigeons" were recognized as desperate men, willing to commit any crime up to murder, in order to get money. For years they "tore up" Port-Houghton is now serving a term of five years in the Oregon Penitentiary; Love is serving a term of nine years in the Idaho Penitentiary, and Raymond is in the Washington Penitentiary for a term of eight years.

The most startling feature of this case is that although Lucas is accounted just as desperate as any of those now in penitentiaries, he was permitted by Portland detectives to run at large until he was finally arrested by a uniformed pa-

That members of the detective staff defy the orders of their Chief, and refuse to obey his instructions, is aptly illustrated in the case of Lucas, who, although known to every one of them as a thoroughly desperate character, was not arrested by them. It remained for an humble patrolman to do his duty and bring Lucas to book.

Inspects Library Stations.

Mrs. Lou G. Diven, Secretary of Travel-ing Libraries for the State of Washing-ton, has been in Portland and vicinity for

She has been inspecting library stations in Clarke County and leaves today for a tour of inspection of the stations in Cow-litz. Lewis and Chehalis counties. The last Legislature apportioned \$3000

to traveling library work, and Mrs. Diven was appointed secretary. Since her ap-pointment about 1000 new books have been bought, and 20 new cases ordered. Several new stations have been established, and many stations re-established. The outlook in the state for this work is

one of the chief objects of Mrs. Diven's visit to Portland is to aid in establishing a public library in Vancouver. With a population of more than 5000, Vancouver

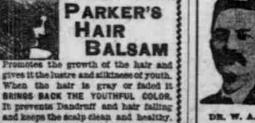
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is without a public library. In the office of City Clerk Harris there are a few books, which used to serve as a public library, but on account of the location of the books and lack of organization, these books are forgotten and disused. It is possible that in October Mrs. Diven may return to Vancouver and lecture in behalf of a public library for that place.

E. O. Johnson Says Natives Prosper Under American Rule.

E. O. Johnson, who has been in the Philippines for the past four years as the private secretary to the secretary of the interior, is in Portland, the guest of W. L. Crissey, head clerk in Tom Richard-son's office in the Chamber of Commerce. The two young men were friends in

Manila.

Mr. Johnson reports that general conditions in the islands have improved very noticably during the past year. One year ago business was very quiet in Manila, owing to a failure of crops throughout the country and the introduction of a new noticably during the past year. One year ago business was very quiet in Manila, owing to a failure of crops throughout the country and the introduction of a new points; stopovers granted going and returning. Particulars of C. W. Stinger, currency system. This year, however, city ticket agent O. R. & N. Co., Third crops have been good, and every one is

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Mr. Johnson believes that the street railway system completed last April has also been largely instrumental in improving conditions in the city.

Reports, which have been spread at times, of disastisfaction with American rule have been very much overdrawn, according to Mr. Johnson. "The spirit of a large majority of the people is very friendly," he said. "Whatever dissatis-faction has existed has been aroused by radicals who are seeking personal notor iety and have no real grievance. The people are coming to realize more and ore the benefits that they are deriving from American control, and it is safe to say that fully % per cent of the people would not have us withdraw from the islands. The people under American supervision are better commercially, educationally and morally than they ever were under Spanish rule or than they ever would be with independence."

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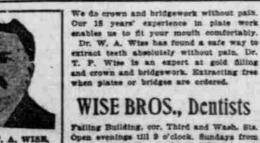
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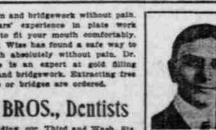
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