

THE SCISSORS BEING WHY PROFESSOR FELIX CRISTION LECTURES.

CROWD GATHERS TO HEAR TELLS HIS AUDIENCE WHERE TO BUY HIS LOTIONS AND THEN HE TAKES THE FIRST TRAIN OUT OF PORTLAND.

Professor Felix Cristion left Portland on the first train after his beauty lecture yesterday, again proving himself an artist. Monday is a man of deep feminine understanding and evidently realizes that part of the women, like Lincoln's people, can be fooled all of the time, and all can be fooled part of the time—but all of them all of the time. Monday's lecture rather looked that all of them were in for it yesterday when 1000 crowded the Marquam at 30 cents per hour, hungering for beautification and a little of the "No. 1" rather than the "No. 2" which they had seen in the paper. Monday's lecture was a success as early as 2:30 o'clock and each of the 1000 brought her little pad and pencil. Just as Monday had directed "to take down some of the 'No. 1' formulae."

Big Primer Class. The big primer class was called to order in due time and the suave teacher had them write down the hotel address and office hours of the woman who will remain here to sell his wares. They all did as he bade them, even to putting down the address of the woman who would not to write any more. Many countenances were disappointed expressions, but no one presumed to question the Professor's authority, so the professor disappeared. "I will give you these printed prescriptions as you leave the theater," he said, "but now I will tell you of them and how to use them."

And he told—somehow nearly all of them had to be purchased from Madame who remains to sell. Most of the file the human flesh in her to be repaired with a wonderful oil which Professor gave him length on. It is made of an unpronounceable nut which grows in the Garden of Gethsemane or Palestine or somewhere in that neighborhood. Monday's lecture was a success as early as 2:30 o'clock and each of the 1000 brought her little pad and pencil. Just as Monday had directed "to take down some of the 'No. 1' formulae."

Old-Fashioned Receipts. The recipes which were given out in printed form contained some old-time sure-cures with which many were familiar. More than one of the "No. 1" had removed freckles with strawberry juice, and some had heard that the saliva of a garden snail would remove the detested mole, but that had no application. Monday's lecture was a success as early as 2:30 o'clock and each of the 1000 brought her little pad and pencil. Just as Monday had directed "to take down some of the 'No. 1' formulae."

Again professor told his primer class that it was sinful to be negligent of personal appearance, and that he would take them to be girls instead of old women to use his wonderful oil and grow either lean or fat, tall and beautiful. And just to show that there was no desire on the part of the management to take advantage of the girls, he refunded everyone present her ticket—not the money, but the ticket.

"Now girls," he chirped, "when you make your purchases of Madame, those tickets will count for 50 cents on your bill."

Do they bite again? It's dollars to doubt that they will.

TAX PAYMENTS BEGIN.

Sheriff Word Is the First to Get Receipt.

Sheriff Word was the first taxpayer yesterday and 15 receipts were issued as compared to 21 on the first tax collection day a year ago. The amount taken in was about \$2500.

County Clerk Fields has completed the 1906 tax roll distribution, which shows the following results for the principal funds:

Table with columns: Levy, Value, Tax. Rows include Levy, State, County, Road, Library, City of Portland, City of Gresham, School District No. 1, School District No. 2.

The total amount of the tax roll is \$2,056,961.31.

Woman Accuses Patrolman.

Patrolman William Nelson, attached to the second precinct, stands suspended from duty pending the investigation of charges, preferred against him by Mrs. Emilie Weis, living at East Nineteenth and Pacific streets. She alleges in her complaint, which was filed with Chief Gritzmacher, that the accused officer, while accompanying her home from headquarters last Tuesday night, in some way, felled her to the sidewalk, hugged and kissed her and behaved himself in a most unseemly manner. Nelson is one of the most additions to the force. His badge was taken from him by Captain Bailey yesterday morning, and the charges will be investigated this afternoon by the police committee.

Want Postoffice Retained.

GRESHAM, Or., Feb. 1.—(Special.)—A petition has been circulated at Orient asking the Postoffice Department to retain Orient postoffice and rural route as at present, instead of withdrawing them and establishing the rural route from Boring, as recommended by the department agent. The petition contains about 300 names, nearly all of whom are patrons of the Orient office. Bulletins have been posted asking for bids to carry the star route from Sandy and the department can save one-half of the present cost by starting from Boring instead of Gresham.

Ordinance to Regulate Stables. An ordinance regulating local stables of more than six stalls has been prepared by Attorney Ralph W. Wilson and will be submitted to the health and police committee of the Council at its meeting this morning.

TODAY AND TOMORROW Clearance Sale

Only Two Days Left Of Our Annual Clearance Sale

Do your buying Today or Saturday. Carpets will cost more next week.

- PRICES TODAY: Bigelow Axminster laid - \$1.78, Extra Axminster - 1.38, Saxony Axminster - 1.30, Velvets - 1.30, Body Brussels - 1.42, Roxburg Brussels - 1.10, Best Inlaid Linoleum - 1.50, Printed Linoleum - .65

Exclusive Carpet House

J. C. MACK & CO.

86-88 Third Street

PHIL METSCHAN, Pres. C. W. KNOWLES, Mgr.



Seventh and Washington Streets, Portland, Oregon.

European Plan - \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 per Day.

THAT GOOD FAITH BOND

POSITION OF THE CASCADE POWER COMPANY.

In Asking for a Franchise, A. C. Churchill Thinks It Should Not Be Required.

The question of compelling applicants for future franchises to furnish a substantial bond as an evidence of good faith, has created no little stir among the promoters of the several measures of this character now pending before the City Council. A. C. Churchill, of the Cascade Power Company, referring to that company's application for a franchise and the discussion in the papers and otherwise about the desirability of exacting a bond therefor, states: "Our understanding is that this bond is exacted solely as a showing of good faith and intention of our company to go ahead with construction. We shall, in all cases, give the position of the Cascade Power Company as to its present condition and financial arrangements. At no time will we expect a few local people to furnish the money to acquire the water rights, employ the engineers and complete all preliminary work necessary for a fair estimate of possible power development and cost of same."

"This preliminary work, on completion, was submitted to E. R. Richardson, now of Portland, recently of New York. He is a man of large means, has confidence in Portland, and has invested upwards of \$100,000 in city property within the past few months. He also has a general knowledge of the value and importance of power in development of a country and city and its industries, and was particularly impressed with the natural advantages surrounding the company's water rights in the features that cheapness, construction and give a maximum of power at a minimum of cost."

"Mr. Richardson was more than pleased with his personal investigation, and the report of our engineer, William H. Chase, as well as that of J. E. Bales, city electrician of Seattle, who planned, constructed and now operates Seattle's power and lighting plant. Mr. Richardson agreed that he, with Eastern associates, would take the bond of this company on two conditions—first, that a franchise is secured for a market; second, that an engineer representing the bond purchasers

approve our preliminary, survey and estimates.

"Richardson and associates who furnish the capital will have their lawyers most thoroughly investigate the legal aspect of this franchise, the expert engineers will most carefully examine the property, and while we have advised our people that if the franchise is secured, it will in every respect be legal, and while preliminary estimates and maps have been submitted, this investigation will take time."

"Consequently, a demand for a bond at this time is simply an obstruction, and we feel that its requirement is wholly and absolutely unnecessary. Competition in light and power in this city is needed; granting a franchise to the Cascade Power Company will give the people of this city competition and the city compensation. We have to expend no money before we reach the city at all \$500,000."

"It is required that we bring in not less than \$500,000 in cash, which we do not do this within the time provided for in the franchise, we will forfeit all our rights thereto."

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Will Inspect Thirteen Horses.

Secretary Shanahan, of the Oregon Humane Society, will today investigate and power franchises will occupy the attention of the streets committee of the Council this afternoon.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Marquam Grand Theater GRAND OPERA SEASON EXTRA Tuesday Afternoon, February 6 2:15 O'CLOCK

"RIGOLETTO"

Seals Now on Sale at Box Office.

Baker Theater

Men's Amateurs in the Last Performance

Empire Theater

WILTON W. SEAMAN, Manager.

Hooligan in New York

The clever comedy-drama, with an excellent cast.

STAR THEATER

Monte and Nina Smith and Ella Caprice.

GRAND THEATER

Week of January 29

PANTAGES

CAPT. HOLTUM.

EDUCATIONAL ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

Tour Through Norway

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES.

"Rooms," "Rooms and Board," "House-keeping Rooms," "Stations Wanted," 13 words or less, 18 cents; 14 to 20 words, 25 cents; 21 to 25 words, 25 cents, etc.

AUCTION SALES TODAY.

Sale at Newell Academy postponed by court.

NEW TODAY.

\$1000 per \$10.10

\$1,350,000 ASSETS

Protect our depositors, who receive 1 per cent interest compounded twice a year.

COUPON CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT

A new and ideal form of savings investment. Interest paid by cutting off coupons.

IN BUSINESS NEARLY 19 YEARS.

PORTLAND TRUST COMPANY OF OREGON.

Mortgage Loans 5% Upwards

Real Estate—City and Farm. Insurance in All Lines.

A. H. BIRRELL.

222-3 McKay Bldg., Third and Stark sts.

OLD GOLD, JEWELRY, BOUGHT, MADE OR EXCHANGED; diamonds, precious stones, watch and mounted, watches, jewelry, repaired. Uncle Myers, Jeweler, 142 So. Alder.

\$2900-2 ACRES NEAR ANKENY CAR LINE. Inquire P. T. Oregonian.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE. 1000-ACRE RARE OPPORTUNITY—\$1000. To secure a good home at a bargain; electric lights, furnace, cement walks and 60 ft. of water, worth \$1000, must be given leaving city; see it today, 224 near Union and 2nd.

BRAND-NEW HOUSE, WIRED AND PIPED AND electricity good Boynton furnace; just completed; modern in every respect. 1 1/2 blocks from 2nd and Union. Call at 224 near Union and 2nd.

WANTED—VACANT LOT OR HOUSE AND LOT, within 10 minutes' walk of the Steel bridge, on the payment plan; some cash. Address 7 S. Oregonian.

WANTED—2 TO 3 ROOM HOUSE OR COTTAGE, west of 12th and south of Washington St. Some cash. Inquire 1834 4th. Oregonian.

WANTED—TWO LOTS, VACANT OR WITH 12-room house, Portland Heights or west of 6th, south of Morrison. H. S. Oregonian.

WANTED—LOT OR PORTION LOT WEST SIDE. Inquire 1834 4th. Oregonian.

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

GOOD, SUBSTANTIAL BARGAINS IN FIRST-CLASS HOMES.

4-room cottage and full lot on E. 24th St. N. All fenced and in lawn; price, \$3000, easy terms.

Very fine cottage and full lot on East 12th St. N. Highland Park Add.; house modern; price, \$1500; terms, \$500 cash, balance monthly.

5-room cottage and lot on E. Alder St. N. Supt. side; modern and new street modern; price, \$1500; terms, \$500 cash, balance monthly.

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FOR SALE—TIMBER LANDS.

SELECTIONS FURNISHED FOR ALL CLASSES OF U. S. Government and state lands.

WANTED—FEW A SECTIONS TIMBER. For owners only; Columbia River section; state lands; price, \$5000. Oregonian.

FOR SALE—FARMS. 100 ACRES, 100 ACRES CLEARED, RICH bottom, 60 acres timber, will cut 1000 cords of wood. Price, \$2000. Oregonian.

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