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AMUSEMENTS.

THE HEILIG THEATER (14th and Washington streets)—This afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, tonight at 8:15, Chowlah Simpson in comic opera, "Red Feather."

BAKER THEATER (3d bet. Yamhill and Taylor)—Baker Theater Company in "Why Baxter Butted In"; matinee at 2:15; tonight at 8:15.

EMPIRE THEATER (11th and Morrison)—"The Midnight Flyer"; matinee at 2:15; tonight at 8:15.

GRAND THEATER (Washington, between Park and Seventh)—Vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M.

PANTAGES THEATER (Fourth and Stark)—Continuous vaudeville, 2:30, 7:30, 9 P. M.

STAR THEATER (Park and Washington)—Allen Stock Company in "Humbug"; matinee at 2:15, tonight at 8:15.

LYRIC THEATER (7th and Alder)—The Lyric Stock Company in "Sapho"; matinee at 2:15, tonight at 8:15.

OBSERVE DAY OF PRAYER.—The various churches of the city that have joined in the meetings being conducted by William Edgar Geil, traveller and explorer, at the White Temple, yesterday observed a day of prayer at the Y. M. C. A. building. Thirty leaders took part in the day's exercises, each presiding for a half hour, and more than 1000 persons participated. Tonight at the White Temple, Mr. Geil will address the officers and teachers of the Sunday schools of the churches of the city. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock he will deliver an address to men only at the same church and in the evening, at a meeting to which all are invited, he will lecture on "Is Wrong Ever Right?" Mr. Geil will continue his lectures all of next week, speaking every night at the White Temple. On Thursday and Friday nights he will deliver two of his best lectures as follows: Thursday night, "Cannibalism, Before and After," and Friday night, "Through Pigmy Land."

HIBERNIANS PLAN CELEBRATIONS.—At a meeting of the Hibernian Society, held in the office of P. J. Smith in the Fenton building last night, arrangements were made preliminary to two elaborate entertainments to be given during the month of March under the auspices of this organization. The first entertainment will be given on the night of March 4, in celebration of the birth of Robert Emmett, for which an appropriate programme of exercises is being prepared. St. Patrick's day on March 17 will be even more elaborately celebrated. The following committee was named to arrange for the two entertainments: John O'Hare, chairman; E. H. Deery, R. W. Lane, Edward Killfeather, P. J. Smith, J. W. McGinn, John E. Malley and Frank D. Hennessy. It is planned to have these entertainments surpass anything before undertaken by the society.

EAST SIDE CLUB OPENING.—The East Side Club will hold its house warming tonight in its apartments on the top floor of the Sargent, corner Grand and Hawthorne avenues, between 8 and 12 o'clock. Members and their friends will be present to open the club's handsome rooms. Expense has not been spared in fitting up the rooms, and no club in the city has finer quarters. The following are the officers and directors: President, W. L. Boise; vice-president, Edward Newbegin; secretary, W. S. Halvor; treasurer, H. H. Newhall; R. D. Inman, Joseph M. Healy, Walter Barrell, Jesse Stearns, George H. Holcomb. There is now a membership of nearly 150, comprising leading business men and property owners on the East Side.

TEACHERS' CLUB MEETING.—The regular meeting of the Teachers' Club will be held in the Museum of Art this evening, when the following programme will be rendered: "The Revolution and the First Empire," Miss Ruth Rounds; "The Rise of Classicism: David and His Pupils, Gros and Ingres," Mrs. A. R. Watson; "Pierre Prud'hon, Mythological and Allegorical Subjects," Miss Viola Ortschild; "Mme Le Brun, Portraits," Miss M. M. Dewert. A full attendance of members is desired on account of important business.

ELOPING HUSBAND CAUGHT.—Will Osborne was arrested by Detective Sergeant Jones and Acting Detective Tichenor in a lodging-house at 281 East Morrison street late yesterday afternoon and was booked at police headquarters on a charge of lewd cohabitation. He is said to have sent his wife and child to Tennessee, and then to have fled from San Francisco to this city with a daughter of J. S. McPherson. The latter signed a complaint against him.

ITALIANS IN FIGHT.—G. Daniele and Giovani Batteste, Italians, engaged in a furious fight at Second and Everett streets at 7 o'clock last night, and were separated only upon the arrival of Patrolmen Thorpe and Fields. Both were taken to the City Jail, where they were searched. The police found a pair of steel "knuckles" in the possession of Batteste. He was also charged with carrying a concealed weapon. Both were slightly intoxicated.

POLICE MAKE NO PROGRESS.—No progress was made yesterday by the police in the investigation of the attempted dynamite outrage on the St. Johns division of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. A stick of the explosive was found early Thursday morning lying near one of the rails, where it had been placed for the purpose of blowing up a train. No clew has been found to the perpetrators of the crime or to their motive.

HOUSES WANTED TO RENT.—We have 100 first-class tenants whom we are anxious to locate in desirable houses before February 1. If you have anything good and modern, five to eight rooms, East Side or West Side, list the same with us at once. We will furnish you a tenant and collect the rent for you if you so desire. The Title Guarantee & Trust Co., 240-244 Washington street, corner Second, Portland, Or.

REV. J. E. KITTREDGE, D. D., who has occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church for the last two months, leaves next week for the Orient, having been appointed by the General Assembly a delegate to the Centennial of Missions in China which is to be celebrated in March. He will preach his last sermons here tomorrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

FIND BID TOO LOW.—Squires Brothers have requested the executive board to advance their bid for erecting the new East Side city barn from $9281 to $10,311. Their figure was the lowest submitted for the contract which they would doubtless have received. As the firm has discovered a mistake of $1000 in its calculations, it is probable that all bids will be rejected and the contract re-advertised.

DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL.—L. B. Pearl and Fred Davies, the crew in charge of a Sellwood car on the line of the Oregon Water Power Company, who were injured in a rear end collision January 18, have been discharged from the Good Samaritan Hospital. Walter F. Case, a mail clerk who was injured at the same time, is improving at his home.

BANK OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS.—For the accommodation of depositors, the savings bank of the Title Guarantee & Trust Company, 240 Washington street, cor. Second, is open on Saturday evenings from 6 till 8 o'clock.

FOR RENT.—Storeroom, 131 Sixth street, to let for the month of February. For particulars inquire of the superintendent, room 209 Oregonian building.

DR. ELY will preach tomorrow in Calvary Presbyterian Church on "Love Expelling Fear" and "The Borrowed Ax."

WANTED.—Teams at Seventh and Oak streets; $5 per day. Elwood Wiles Cont.

WOMAN'S EXC., 123 10th, lunch 11:30 to 2; business men's lunch.

DIAMONDS AT A DISCOUNT.—Nearly every person owns or hopes to own one or more diamond and there is really little or no excuse for any person with sufficient money to buy one not to do so at once. It is not extravagance, as well bought diamonds have increased in value from year to year at a higher ratio than the same amount of money loaned at prevailing rates of interest. For the next five days Leffert's jewelry store at 272 Washington street, near Fourth, will sell diamonds at genuine discount of 25 per cent. This is not a mere statement but a fact easily demonstrated if you will take the trouble to step into their store and see for yourself. They have excellent reasons for making this stupendous cut.

WOODMEN HOLD RALLY.—A big rally was held last night by Multnomah Camp No. 77, Woodmen of the World, in the hall on East Sixth street. It was an open meeting and many friends of the members were present. After music by a quartet Mayor Lane gave an address, complimenting the camp on its fine showing. After a drill by the crack team Rev. George B. Van Waters, D. D., made a vigorous speech in which he commended the purposes of the order. There was music by the quartet and also instrumental selections. A banquet closed the evening. Captain A. M. Cox was chairman of the committee on programme.

GUILT HIS ACCUSER.—Walter Schuelte was arrested by Patrick Maher, of the District Attorney's office, last night on a statutory charge, preferred by Miss Anna Botcheck, aged 18 years. The prisoner emphatically denies the charge. He is married and has a child. His accuser is his sister-in-law. Her father threatened to invoke the "unwritten law" unless the arrest was made. Fearing physical violence, Schuelte requested to be locked up over night in the City Jail, and Captain Slover, commanding police headquarters, complied.

FIRE DRAWS CROWD.—Much excitement was caused at 10 o'clock last night when a pile of waste paper was on fire on the top floor of the Chamber of Commerce building, at Third and Stark streets. An alarm was turned in from box 141, bringing the firemen and hundreds of people to the scene. Within five minutes the fire was out with no damage.

ASK FOR LETTERBOX.—Residents in the vicinity of Hancock and San Rafael streets at Rodney avenue have requested Postmaster Minto to place a letter box in that locality. Mr. Minto has approved the request and has announced that additional boxes will be installed on Alberta and other streets in the vicinity of Vernon.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZES.—Members of the rivers and harbors committee of the Chamber of Commerce recently appointed by President Reed met yesterday and organized. The personnel of the committee from last year is not changed. W. D. Wheelwright retired as chairman and W. B. Ayer was elected to succeed him.

BURNED BY GAS.—Ernest Hedley was painfully burned about the face, neck and hands last night in a room at 164½ Fifth street, by a gas explosion. He was removed to the Good Samaritan Hospital. His injuries are not serious.

OLD RESIDENT IS DEAD

EVENTFUL LIFE OF HIRAM W. DICKEY ENDS.

Crossed Plains by Wagon After Serving Through Civil War in Ohio Regiment.

An Oregon pioneer, Hiram W. Dickey, well known throughout the Pacific Northwest among the old timers passed away at his home, 414 Hall street yesterday. Mr. Dickey was born in Nassilon, O., in 1843 and served as a volunteer in the United States service in Company A, Infantry of Ohio, his native state, throughout the Civil War. In 1867 he went to Omaha, Neb. and entering the employ of the Union Pacific run on the first train that ever went out from that city. Soon after he went to Arizona, crossing the plains with a wagon-train.

At this time he had an adventure few have ever been called upon to go through, and which showed the pluck and spirit of the man, as a typical frontiersman. In crossing the desert the leader of the train became confused, lost his bearings and was leading the party away from water, the supply of which had run so short that but a few small flasks remained with which to sustain life. Even that small supply soon gave out, entailing much suffering. One of the party cut the throat of a dog belonging to a member of the band, and drank its blood to appease the horrible thirst that consumed him.

At this point a mutiny occurred, the entire party refusing to go further under the guidance of the leader, and Mr. Dickey was chosen to lead the train to water. This he succeeded in doing within a few hours. A party was made up to go back to search for the former leader, who had refused to remain with the party. His body was found near by the camp where the mutiny had occured. He had been killed by the Indians.

The Late Hiram W. Dickey.

In 1869 Mr. Dickey went to Kalama, Wash., where he held the contract with the Northern Pacific Railroad which was being built at that time, to supply all the laborers needed in the construction work. He opened several hotels along the line of the road, and opened the first wholsale liquor house in Washington at Tenino. Soon after this the bank of Jay Cook, who was financing the road failed, carrying down with it hundreds in the crash. Mr. Dickey held much of the road's paper, for money advanced to the laborers, and lost heavily.

Nothing daunted he came to Portland in 1879 and associated himself with E. Martin & Co., in the wholesale liquor business. He later opened a cafe under the old Cordray Theater that became the headquarters for the theatrical people of that day. He went to North Yakima soon after this and became a partner of Justice Taggart of that city. Returning to Portland he took up the timber and mining business, a calling which he followed until illness compelled him to retire about a year ago. He was interested in the Alaskan Steamship trade at the time of his death.

Mr. Dickey leaves a wife and four children, the eldest of whom is W. M. Dickey.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC OF PORTLAND AND VICINITY

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE FRANK L. SMITH MEAT COMPANY, OF PORTLAND, OREGON.

Gentlemen—In the issue of The Morning Oregonian of January 21st, 1907, on page 12 of that paper, you caused to be printed in your advertisement the following warning: "Beware of those beef trust markets with their high prices, their false weights and tricky deals."

We, the undersigned, markets of the City of Portland, were unaware that such a state of facts existed which would warrant such an expression in a prominent and reliable newspaper like The Daily Oregonian, and believing that such a warning casts suspicion on all the markets of this city promiscuously and does a great damage to the meat trade, we feel that in all fairness to the public of Portland and vicinity, as well as ourselves, as upright and honest business men, that we call upon you now to give us:

First—The names of those beef trust markets.

Second—The names of those markets who are giving false weights.

Third—The names of those markets who are practicing tricky deals.

We, the undersigned markets, have been in business in the City of Portland for a great many years, and unless you will give us the names of the parties or concerns who are following the practices named in your warning, as above quoted, through the columns of The Daily or Sunday Oregonian, we must brand the charges made in your advertisement as a deliberate and malicious falsehood. In the absence of definite names of markets guilty of the practices named in your advertisement, we must charge you with casting unwarranted slur upon the meat trade of the City of Portland, making assertions in your advertisement which are false and misleading to the people of this city and vicinity.

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Awaiting your reply through The Daily Oregonian of this city, we remain,

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