

PORTLAND LEADS THEM ALL

BANK CLEARINGS SHOW A GAIN OF 64.7 PER CENT FOR WEEK.

Seattle and Los Angeles Show Scarcely Any Increase—Figures Indicate Much Prosperity.

For the week ending April 13, Portland's bank clearings exceeded in point of gain those of every other city in the United States. Portland's place at the head of the list is shown by Bradstreet's report covering the chief cities of the country. The clearings of this city for the week cited were \$7,619,000, or a gain of 64.7 per cent over those of the corresponding week of April, 1906.

It speaks well for the prosperity of this section of the country that not a single Pacific Coast city showed a falling off in its clearings during the week. Both Seattle and Los Angeles, however, came perilously near the dividing line, each having a gain of only 3.1 per cent. Spokane's increase was 26.2 and that of Tacoma 18.4 per cent.

The advance in Portland is due to the heavy business in practically every line. The really sales have been numerous and there are no doubt an important factor in the city's gain, as they have not only been more extensive than they ever were before and every activity is gaining in volume.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

BIRTHS.

JOHNSTON—Born to the wife of Joseph Harry Johnston, April 10, at 263 South Sixth street.
CHAMPION—Born to the wife of Myron Champion, March 18, at 414 Knott street, a daughter.

DEATHS.

BOEHMER—At 73 North Tenth street, April 19, Jacob Boehmer, aged 76 years.
JORGENSEN—At Good Samaritan Hospital, April 17, Vandemar Jorgensen, aged 83 years.

BUILDING PERMITS.

A. J. PIKE—Two-story frame dwelling, Clarendon street between Walker and Columbia boulevards.
E. L. SEINHOFF—One-story frame dwelling, Salem street between East Fifty-third and East Fifty-fourth streets.
E. D. MINNIGER—Two-story frame dwelling, Alberta street between East Seventh and East 10th streets.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

HIMES-HUGHES—Charles A. Himes, 27, city; Elizabeth Hughes, 21, city.
WYKILKE—John W. Wykylke, L. Powell, 24, Sellwood; Amber C. Hamilton, 20, city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Wm. S. and Louisa M. Matthews to Martha Brandt, south lot 1 and 2, block 5, Loan's addition.
John A. and Mary E. Smith to J. E. Shepherd, lot 10, block 20, First addition to Linton.
Conrad and Katie Albright to J. E. Miller, lot 9, block 1, North Irving.

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At the Theaters

THE ADMIRABLE CRICHTON

English Play by Baker Company to Close Week's Run Tonight. "The Admirable Crichton" will be seen at the Baker Theater in matinee this afternoon and the final presentation tonight.

HELLO BILL

Matinee at the Star. "Hello Bill" will be presented at the Empire Theater in matinee today and will make its final bow to the Portland public tonight.

NORTHERN LIGHTS

Matinee at the Star. "Northern Lights," the Western military drama, which the Allen Stock Company is playing at the Star Theater, will be given at the matinee today.

ACROSS THE POTOMAC

Matinee at the Star. "Across the Potomac," the great Civil War play at the Loric, the evening performance will be given at the matinee today.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Advance Seat Sale Opens at Heilig for Nat Goodwin's Engagement.

"Mrs. Wings" at Heilig Thursday.

"The Prodigal Son" Tomorrow.

"The Black Hand" at the Empire.

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SWETTENHAM ATE CROW

Elgin Forced Nasty Morsel Down Governor's Throat.

LONDON, April 19.—A white paper issued this evening gives verbatim the letters of Admiral Davis and Governor Swettenham concerning the embarrassing incident in addressing an officer of a Swettenham comment of the Colonial Secretary, Lord Elgin.

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Walker's Securities Found.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Securities to the value of \$300,000, which were stolen from the Savings Bank of New Britain by William F. Walker, the absconding treasurer, were traced today to two New York banking houses, according to a statement made today by Detective Valley, of the local police department.

Delmas Talks of Bay City.

Mikado Will Receive Booth.

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THE GRAND SPECIAL ADDED WEEK OF APR. 15. Vaudeville De Luxe. Herbert's Troupe of 30 Educated Dogs.

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES

Following rates will be given only when advertising is ordered to run consecutive days, Daily and Sunday Issues. The Oregonian charges first-rate rate each insertion for classified advertising that is not run on consecutive days.

UNCALLED - FOR ANSWERS

ANSWERS ARE HELD AT THIS OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING: ANSWER CHECKS AND MAY BE HAD BY PRESENTING YOUR CHECKS AT THE OREGONIAN OFFICE.

MEETING NOTICE.

IVENA TEMPLE, No. 20, BYTHAN SIXTH street, will hold a meeting on Saturday, April 20, at 8 o'clock.

BORN.

MANGOLD—April 18, to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Harmon-Mangold, 640 Gantenberg avenue, a daughter.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

NIERNE—The funeral of Gean Nierne will be held at Finley's chapel at 2:30 P. M. today (Saturday). Interment Lake Fir.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

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