the Home Telephone Company had signed up 40 contracts it had not installed tele-phones. These contracts were signed sev-eral months ago and the company has the material on the ground. Messrs. Gale,

TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL SERVICES.-The

Sabbath services at Temple Beth Israel will be held tonight at 8 o'clock and to-morrow morning at 19:20 o'clock. Rabbi Wise will preach. Strangers welcome.

TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL.—The seating committee will be at the Temple Sunday, September 6, from 10 A. M. to 12 M., to meet pew-holders and non-members desiring pews for the coming year.

Evonese W. Charin, Prohibition party nominee for President. First Methodist Episcopal Church tonight.

To M. W. or A. picnic barbecus Laboray, take Vancouver car,

SWIFTS READY TO BEGIN EREC-

TION OF DWELLINGS.

Construction of Town Near Site of

Packing Plant on Peninsula

Soon Under Way.

about 20 dwelling houses would be un-dertaken at once, the material to be co-ment brick made in the neighborhood of

company say from this time on there will be no cessation of work until the whole plant is completed.

plant is completed.

Among realty men the announcement that over 200 buildings were to be started about the same time in one locality is a record that has not been approached here.

even in the face of phenomenal building operations in other districts of the city. The average cost of the cement block buildings is estimated at \$3000 each and that of the frames at approximately \$2000

Printing Company Will Occupy

Structure at Fifteenth and Glisan.

Following the movement of commercial

town locations, the Irwin-Hodson Com-

pany is to occupy a building at the southwest corner of Fifteenth and Glisan streets as soon as the structure can be

Final papers were signed yesterday be-tween George F. Thompson, trustee, and Lipman. Wolfe & Co. for the quarter

block referred to for a consideration of \$3,000. Lipman, Wolfe & Co. intend to begin at once the preliminary plans for the erection of a two-story brick build-ing to occupy the 100x100 feet, following

plans prepared some time ago by Archi-tect W. C. Knighton for the printing firm, when it had decided to negotiate

for a similar site.

for a similar site.

As there are only minor improvements on the ground at present, only a few days will be necessary to clear the site for excavators. A full basement will be finished and the building will be constructed with reference to the requirements of the tenants. A lease of the new premises was closed yesterday for a term of 15 years, the figure being withheld for the present. On a rough esti-

held for the present. On a rough esti-mate the building will cost about \$35,000.

ARCHITECTS FILE PROTEST

Demand Made on Board of Educa-

tion for View of Designs.

At a special meeting of the Board of

At a special meeting of the Board of Education, held yesterday afternoon, the directors discussed the report of Archi-tect Somervelle, of Scattle, who assisted in the award of prizes for the designs on the projected Albina High School. Certain local architects have appealed to the Board for a glimpse of this docu-ment, which has thus far been refused.

The architects have gone into court to compel the directors to exhibit it. A meeting will be held next Tuesday after-

noon, at which definite action on this matter is expected.

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Hoppicker's gloves, heavy canvas, only 200 pairs left, 6 cents pair while they last. McAllen & McDonnell, Third and Mor-

CARD OF THANKS.

I most sincerely for myself and daughter, wish to thank all those who were so thoughtful and kind to us in our late bereavement. Especially will we always remember the assistance and comfort given us in our hour of trial by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Eiks, of Portland and Salem, who stood by me and my daughter. Words fall to express the gratitude that we feel and always will feel until the end of earthy life.

of earthly life. MRS. CHARLES SCHOLL.

"Lost Baby" at The Oaks.

There is more fun to the square inch in "A Lost Baby," which is the offering of the Allen Curits Company at The Oaks this week than in any other bill that has been presented by that popular musical comedy organization. A score of song hits and a hundred laughs. Something going on every minute.

AMUSEMENTS.

BAKER THEATER (Third, between Mor-rison and Yambill)—Grare Cameron Opers Company in "Little Doille Dimplea" Tonight at S:15.

ORPHEUM THEATER (Morrison, between Sixth and Seventh)—Advanced vaudeville. Matinee, 2:15; tonight at 8:15. GRAND THEATER (Washington, between Seventh and Park)—Vandeville de Luxe, 2:30, 7:30 and 2 P. M.

PANTAGES THEATER (Fourth and Stark)
-Continuous vaudaville, 2:30, 1:30 and

P.BO P. M.
LYRIC THEATER (Seventh and Alder.)
—Blunkal Stock Company in "A Celebrated Case." Every night at Stife. Matiness, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and
Sunday at 2-15.
THE OAKS—Allen Curils Musical Comedy
Company in "A Lost Baby." in Airdome, at 8:15 free.

BASEBALL—Recreation Park (24th and Vaughn streets)—Portland vs. Los An-geles, 3:30 P. M.

WATER MAIN COMPLICATIONS.—The new law for laying water mains has caused some compilications, as illustrated by the situation on Tillamook street, and also in Montavilla. Tillamook street is to be improved with hard-surface pavement, and the property-owners asked for a six-lach main before the new way of paying for mains by assessing the property-owners went into effect. Now there is a disposition to apply the new law to the cost of laying this main, to which the people object. They ask that the pipe be put down under the old plan as their application was made before the new law was in force. It will make a difference of about \$40 each for the property-owners on the street. In Montavilla application was made for water mains that will cost \$15,99, but the work is being deferred pending the decision whether the people or the Water Committee will have to pay the cost. It is understood that where the mains had been provided for under the old method of paying for them, they can still be laid under original rules. WATER MAIN COMPLICATIONS.—The new can still be laid under original rules. Objections are being raised to the new method of charging the cost to the absitting property. as is done where sewers are laid, and an effort will be made to repeal at least a portion of the

made to repeal at least a portion of the new law.

GETTING HIGH SCHOOL READY.—The East Side High School building is being made ready for the opening. Much work has been done both on the structure and on the grounds. Stone walls have been built around the grounds on East Stark and East Fourteenth sides, and the main entrance on East Fourteenth street has been completed. On the north side of the building fire escapes have been placed. During the Summer the manual training department has been used to manufacture articles for the trade school. The library room has been fitted up, and stairs have been built to the roof of the building so it may be used for observations. East Stark street has been improved to Grand avenue, giving an excellent thoroughfare to the building. Between the High and Central schoolhouses the space is covered with weeds, which will disappear quickly when nearly 2000 pupils run over them. From present indications the East Side High School will be crowded this year.

Consider Street Widening.—A brief session of the Multnomah Improvement Club was beld in the hall on Mississippi new law.

Consider Street Widening.—A brief session of the Multnomah Improvement Club was beld in the hall on Mississippi avenue and Shaver street Wednesday night to consider the widening of Albina avenue through Multnomah Addition to 70 feet. A delegation was present from the North Albina Improvement Association to ask co-operation of their nelgibors in Multnomah in getting Albina avenue made 70 feet wide from Goldsmith street south and the Columbia boulevard. The sentiment of those present was favorable to the widening, but it was not considered advisable to take action as no property-owners were present. Further consideration of the matter was continued until Wednesday night, September 16, when an effort will be made to secure the attendance of property-owners from Albina avenue. from Albina avenue.

TAFF CLUB ORGANIZED,-A Taft Club TAFT CLUB ORGANIZED.—A Taft Club was organized Wednesday night at a meeting of Republicans at the hall on Mississippi avenue and Shaver streets, with the following officers: President, J. B. Eddy: first vice-president, R. B. Metcalf; second vice-president, H. M. Greene; third vice-president, J. H. Nolta; secretary, N. D. Beutgen; treasurer, C. Zeigler. The club opened with 50 members. Meetings will be held every two weeks on Wednesday night, alternating between the Mississippi-avenue hall and Albina-avenue engine-house.

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Albina-avenue engine-house.

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BLOCK OUT: WOMAN IN JAIL.—Released

BLOCH OUT: WOMAN IN JAIL.—Released on bonds, Jacob A. Bloch, alias Barabas, the ex-banker and promoter, is enjoying his liberty, while Mrs. Melvina Welss, the woman with whom he left Portland, is still in the City Jail. Bloch has failed to secure the release of the woman for whom he is accused of having left his wife.

ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT.-John Osborne ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT.—John Osborne was arrested restorday by the Wagner-Kiernan constabulary on a charge of assaulting John Carson. The two Johns are neighbors in Arleta and have been wrangling over a water pipe. Yesterday the trouble reached a climax and Osborne is accused of having assaulted Carson.

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Asks for Paston's Return.—The official board of the Montavilla Methodist Episcopal Church adopted resolutions asking for the return of the Rev. Harold Oberg, the pastor, for another year. He is now closing his second year at that church. Rev. J. R. Wilson, D. D., principal of Portland Academy, has returned to the city and will be at the office of the academy daily on and after September 1, for the enrollment of students. Hours 9 to 12 and 2 to 5.

12 and 2 to 5. SAVE THE DISCOUNT.—Send check or pay at office on or before the 10th to save the discount on September bills for the Automatic Telephone. Home Telephone Company, corner of Park and Burnside.

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PATTON HOME BUSINESS MEETING.—The
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classes forming. Phone Main 2329, Inquire until 3:30 P. M. por RENT.—A few nice offices in The Oregonian building. See Superintendent,

Launches for warship, Merrill's boat-house, north side Morrison-street bridge. Ds. A. G. BETTMAN, phys. and surgeon, 2014 6th, cor. Harrison, Main 826, A 2138, * LACES, silks and noveities still on mile. Max. 415 Washington street. Manicure cutiery Eyssell's, 289 Mor. DR. G. M. WHILE, 401 Dekum bldg. *

CLUB RESUMES MEETINGS.—The Rose City Park Improvement Association resumed meetings Wednesday night. At this meeting it was decided to co-operate with Montavilla in making a public park of Rocky Butte now called Lookout Mountain. It was reported that although the Home Telephone Company had signed

City Officials Demand More Rapid Street Work.

BELGIAN BLOCKS WANTED

Portland Railway, Light & Power Co. Must Hurry Improvement On Its Lines Throughout City.

An attempt is to be made by the Executive Board to compel the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company to proceed more rapidly with street improvement work throughout the city. especially on First street between Washington and Yamhill, this pave-ment being in what R. L. Sabin yesterment being in what R. L. Sahin yester-day designated "a scandalous condi-tion." He was presiding at the street committee meeting, and instructed City Engineer Taylor to notify the company officers to take immediate action. "I do not wish to be ugly in the mat-ter." said Mr. Sabin, "but I want those people reached if there is any way to reach them, and if it is necessary to put a nail in the end of the lash, so to speak to make them hurry along with

peak, to make them hurry along with heir improvement work." There is not the best of feeling be-

tween the railway corporation and the city, and especially does this hold true with regard to street improvement work. President Josselyn recently sent a letter to the Mayor, the Council and Executive Board, notifying them of a decision rendered by himself and associates to object to all proposed street Within a few days construction of a number of dwellings and offices will be started on the townsite of Kenwood, which lies almost directly south of the Union Meat Company's packing-house site ciates, to object to all proposed street improvements, unless made strictly in accordance with the franchises controlled by the company.

Union Meat Company's packing-house site on the Peninsula.

The Kenwood Land Company is the holding company of both the platted tract and the ground on which the packing-jouses are to be built, the Swifts owning controlling interests in the company. L. D. Stephenson has arrived in Portland, commissioned by the general officers of the company, to begin building operations on the townsite, and said yesterday that thour m dwelling houses would be un-Heretofore, the company has been laying Belgian blocks between its tracks on all hard-surface pavement jobs, and one foot on the outside of the outer rails. Henceforth, according to the order of Mr. Josselyn, the company will refuse to lay anything between its rails, save the same kind of material with which the street is paved.

This letter created considerable co ment in official circles and just what will be done about it, as far as the city will be done about it, as far as the city officials are concerned, remains to be seen. Some indication may be noted this afternoon, when the City Council's committee on streets will meet. There the tract: A large number of frame houses will be built also, present inten-tions indicating something like 200 of committee on streets will meet. There are a number of petitions for improvements to come up at that time.

Councilman Kellaher is expected to These dwellings, when completed, will first be offered to employes of the Union Meat Company, and if not all taken by them will be offered to any who may desire to rent them. The houses are to be of from five to seven rooms each and will be constructed with a view of having a model town in the vicinity of the packing plant.

have something to say on the subject and it may be that he will try to se-cure action to force the company to lay Belgian blocks in all hard-surface

ing plant.
Work is going on in preparation of the LAWSUIT OVER A DEED grounds for the meat company's build-ings on the Slough, and officers of the

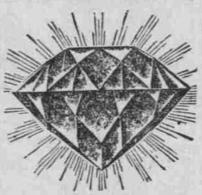
Damage Case Involving Iowa Property Filed in Circuit Court.

That Mathilde Braun gave Alfred Mathieson a deed to Iowa property which she did not own, is his allegation in a suit for \$2000 damages, filed in the Cirsuit for \$3000 damages, filed in the Circuit Court yesterday. He says that the deed was made out March 20, 1502, in Sloux City, Ia. The property in question is in Woodbury County, Ia. Mrs. Braun claimed a third interest in it as heir of Ludwig Braun, alias Louis Braun. John Braun brought suit in the District Court of Woodbury County, Ia., to obtain a clear title, alleging that he was the rightful heir. After obtaining a decree in his favor, he ejected Mathieson last month. The latter says he has spent \$500 defending the suit, and that the property is worth \$1500. BUILDING TO COST \$35,000

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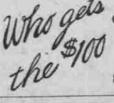
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