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### AMUSEMENTS.

BI NGALOW THEATER (Twelfth and Mor-risen)—Marie Dore in the comedy, "The Morals of Marcus." Tonight at 8:15. TRIC THEATER (Seventh and Alder) — Messrs Shubert present the comedy, "The Blue Mouse." Tonight at 8:15.

DRPHEUM THEATER—(Morrison, between Sixth and Seventh)—Advanced vaudeville, Mathree at 2:15, Tonight at 8:15. BRAND THEATER—(Washington, between beyonth and Park)—Vaudeville de luxe. 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M.

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

AR THEATER - Moving-picture show overy afternoon and evening, 2 to 10:30

BECREATION PARK—(Twenty-fifth and Vaughn)—Busehall, Tacoma vs. Portland. This afternoon at 8:30.

Oaks—(O. W. P. carline.)—Concert by Danatell's Italian band. This afternoon at 2:30 and tonight at 8:15.

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LOOKE FOR SECOND COMING SOON.—That the day of the second coming of Christ is close at band was the sentiment of Evangelist Will F. Martin yesterday afternoon, when he spoke in the tent tabernacle at East Eleventh and East Morrison streets, before a packed audience. "One sign of the end of the world," he said, "is the increase of orime. In the year 1996 there were 11,900 murders, and the Bible shows this to be a condition in the last days. Another evidence is that the gospel of the kingdom of Christ is being preached to all the world." Telling of many of the phenomenas that have taken place in the heavens and on the carth during the past few centuries he said that the LOOKS FOR SECOND COMING SOON .- That past few conturies he said that the evidences all point to a near end of the present universe and that all had better put on the white robes and be prepared.

START ON CHURCH FOUNDATION.—Excavaling for the foundation of the new edifice of the First Universalist Church, East Twenty-fourth and Broadway edifice of the First Universalist Church, East Twenty-fourth and Broadway streets, is now under way. The new church will be 75x81 feet and there will be a full basement for social functions. It has been decided to use frame construction for the main building above the basement, and the outer walls will be covered with cement and pebble-dash. The church purchased three lots at this corner. Hev. James D. Corby, the pastor, says that the church will be for the whole community, and hence provisions will be made for social functions on a large scale. It will be open not merely on Sundays, but through the week days. The cost of the building is estimated at \$15,000. It will probably be completed by January 1.

Consider Park Stuation.—A special meeting of the Sunnyside Push Club will be held tonight at the office of J. A. Pettit, Belmont and East Thirty-fourth streets, to consider the park situation and take some action to expedite the filling of Belmont spect, between East Ninteenth and East Twentieth. Secretary Walker calls attention of the people of Sunnyside to the necessity for prompt action, if they want to get a park. Belmiont street is improved between East Water and East Thirty-ninth, except this short fill between Fast Nineteenth and East Twentieth, where the filling is going forward so slowly that it will be many months before it can be completed. Reports will be received from several committees on telegraph and express delivery ees on telegraph and express delivery

LENTS SCHOOL OVERCROWDED. - MOTO LENTS SCHOOL OVERCROWDED. — More portable rooms will have to be provided for the Lents school at the reopening next Fall. There are 12 rooms in the main building, which were all filled last year and there was one portable classroom on the grounds. Over 500 pupils attended during the last few months. It is thought the country of the classrooms on the country of the country of the country of the classrooms. at least two outside classrooms on the grounds will have to be provided. A new schoolhouse, of course, cannot be erected this year and the portable classrooms must take care of the overflow. There is a great growth in all directions surround-ing the schoolhouse, which will probably show itself at the school opening.

JOINT SERVICES PLANNED .- On Sundays Joint Services Planned.—On Sundays in August Congregational churches in Portland will unite in union evening services to be held at the First Congregational Church, at Park and Taylor streets. Young people's services will be held at 6:45 P. M. and the regular evening services at 7:45 o'clock. The churches which will participate in the services are Sunnyside, Laurelwood, Hassalo, Mississippi-Avenue and the First Church.

Wing Medal, for Music—Hassalo, Kret.

Wins Medal for Music—Hazel Kreilich, the 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mre. E. Kreilich, of the Sacred Heart parish, on the Milwaukle road, won the gold medal for proficiency on the piano, at the Welton Music School. The medal was won out of a class of 2s students. Miss Hazel is a student at the Sacred Heart parochial school, and is considered a promising musical student.

Exhibition at Museum of Art.—The loan collection of water color and oil paintings at the Museum of Art, Fifth and Taylor atreets, is open daily from 9 until 5 o'clock. Of additional interest are the designs from Miss Tacker's school in Boston. Those are shown in the library together with a case exhibition from the Arts and Crafts Society. Admission free.

Ask for Parks.—A committee from the Seventh Ward Improvement Club, headed by L. E. Rice, called on Mayor Simon yesterday afternoon and urged him to assist them in securing additional parks for their ward. The Mayor promising to investigate their situation.

WILL FILL East Alder -East Alder street will be filled between East Seventh and East Elghth streets doing away with the last of the elevated roadways in that portion of the city. East Alder street has been filled between East Water street and Union avenue.

Inquest to Be Held Today.—The inquest over the remains of John Olson, the Government employe who was killed by a westbound train on the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad, near Linnton Sunday night, will be held today.

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STRANGER ACCUSED OF THEFT.—A. J. Minler, a stranger in Portland, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives. Price and Coleman, charged with stealing 340 from J. L. Smithson, proprietor of the North End restaurant.

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BROOKLYN SEWER INSPECTED.—Accompanied by City Engineer Taylor, J. W. Morris, who will on July 16, become City Engineer under appointment by Mayor Simon, and members of the Seventh Ward Improvement Club, the committee on sewers of the City Executive Board yesterday inspected the south mittee on sewers of the City Executive
Board yesterday inspected the south
branch of the Brooklyn sewer. They
spent the entire day in the big drain,
which was rejected by ex-Mayor Lane's
Executive Board on the ground that it
is not built properly. Chairman Smith,
of the sewer committee, said last night
that the final trip will be made today,
when the north branch will be seen. He
declined to make any statement as to
the condition in which the south branch
was found, but it is said that nothing
serious was discovered.

SLEEPY STOKER DISCHARGED .- E. Dunlap, formerly a stoker on the fireboat Williams, was discharged yesterday afternoon by order of the Civil Service Commission, to which he appealed from the decision of the Executive Board. He was charged with sleeping on duty, and admitted the allegation. He pleaded that he fell saleep but for a moment, but the Commission considered this a fatal error for one occupying such a position.

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT! INNES FAMOUS NEW YORK BAND, AT MULTNOMAH FIELD.

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TONIGHT 8:30; ADMISSION 50c. New York Society.—The New York State Society of Oregon will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hand, 501 Twenty-first street North, corner Reed. Take "S" car north to end of line. A lawn party will be held if the weather permits. Visiting New Yorkers and residents of the city and state are cordially invited. ordially invited.

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COUNCIL COMMITTEE DENIES LICENSE APPLICATIONS.

No Liquor to Be Sold in Restaurants Where Interior Cannot Be Seen From Street.

Resiaurants with narrow passage-ways, eading from the street to the interior, where a good view of the place cannot he had from the sidewalk, will not be granted liquor licenses, if the Council committee on licenses continues the policy adopted at a meeting yesterday afternoon It was the first meeting since the new administration went into office, and Councliman Wallace was in the chair. Councilman Devlin took a decided stand against such places, and his colleagues were of the same temper. Several applications for licenses for such resorts were denied, including one by Ed. Johnson, proprietor of a restaurant at 149 Seventh street, and formerly owner of the West Coast Oyster House just north of his present place.

This time Johnson signed his own name to the application, employed Seneca Fouts to represent him and made a bold effort to secure the coveted license, but falled. Mr. Fouts told the committee that his client Fours told the committee that his client would conduct a good place and obey all the laws and police regulations, and said that, under the new administration, Johnson would justify the action of the committee should it grant the license. He said that Johnson fell out with the old regime, with Dr. Lane as Mayor, but now that the former administration had passed out of existence, "for which we are all thankful, Johnson should have a license."

Councilman Annand having been absent from the city recently, was unaware that Councilman Baker had recommended that Johnson's application be denied, moved that it be granted, and Councilman Belding seconded the motion. Mr. Baker entered the committee-room at that moment, and called attention to his previous report of the matter, which changed
the whole situation, Mr. Fouts tried to
get Mr. Baker to change his attitude,
but Mr. Baker stoutly refused, saying
that he would not favor any such establishments as Johnson had been running.
Councilman Watkins said that he did
not care to vote on the matter, his firm , and Councilman Beld-Councilman Watkins said that he did not care to vote on the matter, his firm having the lease of the property in which the restaurant is located, but made a good talk in favor of granting the license. There had been no complaint, he said, about the place for many months, and he saw no reason why the application should not be granted.

Application for a restaurant liquor license in the Merrill building, Seventh



....... and Oak streets, was also denied because of the bad reputation of the place. Under a former proprietor, it was closed up, the Council revoking the license. The committee did not like the arrangement of the dining-room and refused the

Application of Evans, Ryan and Pan-tages for a similar license, at 257 Stark street, was refused on the same ground. The committee wants a restaurant where liquor is served with meals to be in plain view of the sidewalk, where entrance is

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