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#### AMUSEMENTS.

BUNGALOW THEATER—(Twelfth and Morrison)—Frederic Thompson presents the American drama, "Polly of the Circus." Tonight \$115 o'clock.
ONPHEUM THEATER—(Morrison between slith and Seventh)—Advanced vaude-ville Matinee at 215 Tonight at \$15. GRAND THEATER-(Washington, between Seventh and Park)-Vaudeville de luxe. 2:30, 7:30 and 9 P. M.

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Will Hold CAMPMERTING. The annual campmeeting of the Seventh-Day Adven-tists will be held on the grounds between campmeeting of the Seventh-Day Areatists will be held on the grounds between
Creston and Anabel, August 19 to 25 inclusive. As conference was held last
March there will be no business transacted at this gathering, and it will be
for purely religious services. Already
tents are being erected on the ground
and people are arriving to remain
through the meetings. It is estimated
that 2000 people will be on the ground
when the meetings open. Elder Martin,
who conducted tabernacle meetings on
East Morrison and East Eleventh streets,
will be one of the speakers. Some of
the prominent speakers and leaders of
the denomination will take part. The
Mount Scott carline is a short ditance
from the campground. A large pavilion
tent that will accommodate 1500 will be
used for the public services. A considerable number are expected to attend
from the Tacoma campmoeting now in the Tacoma campmoeting now in

Brogress.

WILL LAY CORNERCTONE — Arrangements have been completed for laying the cornerstone of the new Mount Tabor Methodist Episcopal Church, on the Bass Line road and Church street, Monday evening, August 16, at 7:15 o'clock, Bishop Charles W. Smith will lay the cornerstone. Rev. D. L. Rader, of the Pacific Christian Advocate, Dr. Homan, of the Williamette University, and ministers of Portland will assist in the ceremonies. Concrete work on the basement is going Concrete work on the basement is going forward. The church will be 90x70 feet, forward. The church will be saw lest, and will be exected of concrete blocks. There will be a full basement. The cost of the church without furniture is estimated at \$10,000 and with all the furniture the cost will be \$15,000. Smith & Hason have the contract for erecting the building. Harry Nelson Black drew the plans of the church. Rev. J. W. Mc-

Dougall is the paster. Dougall is the paster.

Y. M. C. A. PREPARES TO MOVE.—All is activity at the Y. M. C. A., for it is moving time. The officers of the Association hope to be using the new building before September 10. "Of course we want to give the workmen a chance to put the new building in as good shape as possible before we move in," said therefore Moving verticals." We have Secretary Moore yesterday. "We have over 200 men at work on it now." There is much more work to be done on the new eight-story steel and concrete structure, at Sixth and Taylor streets, but enough is completed to make its occupation possible. The Association building committee meets nearly every day, and is purchasing carpets, dressers, chairs desks and other furnishings from local forms. "We have

CLOTHING THISP MAKES HAUL.—No less than a dozen sulfs of clothes were obtained by a pleasant faced and reatly appearing young man, who who weeks ago visited fashionable residences in Kings', Heights and Nob Hill districts, representing binself to come from a cleaning and pressing establishment. Unestaining and pressing establishment. Our suspectingly several persons turned over to him clothing. Since that time nothing has been seen of the solicitor or the garments. The young man is described as being dark complexioned, dark eyes and hair, wearing neat, clothes and polite May Move North - The Norwegian Lutheran Church on the corner of East Grant and East Tenth, streets, may be

Grant and East Tenth, streets, may be sold and a modern church building erected in the northern part of the East Side. Rev. O. Hagoes, who has been the pastor of this church since it was built, says that a majority of his congregation lives toward the north and the members realize that the church is no longer central for the membership. However, no definite steps have yet been taken toward the erection of a new church, except the vote of the membership to build elsewhere.

WIFE SEEKS J. W. COLLINS.-His wife almost prestrated with grief. John W. Collins, a chauffeur, who came here less than two weeks ago from North Yakima. Wash, is being soubht by the police on instructions from J. Lenox Ward, prosecuting atterney of Yakima County. Col-lins, says a letter from Ward, came here to look for work as a chauffsur or painter and has not written to his wife

ABAVAI SHOLOM SERVICES.— Services will be held in Congregation Ahavai Sholom Synagogue, Park and Clay streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. There will be muste by the choir. Tomorrow morning the services will begin at 9:30 o'clock, Rabbi E. Abrahamson officiating.

Temple Berly Issael Services,—Rabbi Jonah B. Wise will conduct the services at Temple Beth Israel tonight and tomorrow morning. The evening services commence at 829 o'clock and the nins at 10:30 o'clock. All men and ten are welcome. JNO. A. ROEBLING'S SONS CO.

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Will Bare Old Bulldings.—The O. R. & N. Co. has secured the Brendle property in Lower Albina, south and southwest of the terminal grounds, and will remove the old buildings, which are landmarks, being among the first erected in Albins over 24 years ago. As the buildings are of no great value and are a menace to that part of Albina their removal will be a good thing. The property was wanted by the railroad company to enlarge the terminal grounds. Ruserty was wanted by the railroad company to enlarge the terminal grounds. Rua-sell and Delay streets are the bound-aries of the property south and west. The company undertook to secure some other tracts, but these were held at a figure considered too high and the company did-not take them.

not take then. EXTENDING TRESTLE—The treatle on East Third street is being extended south from East Salmon to Hawthovne avenue carry the dump cars of the Pacific dage Company, which is filling the cet. North from East Salmon to the street. North from East Salmon to the treatle has been completed to East Oak street and the filling of the street is progressing rapidly. The heaviest part of the fill on East Third is between East Salmon street and Hawthorns avenue. East Salmon fill is completed between Union avenue and East Water street and the surface is being paved with crushed rock and sidewalks laid. Proceedings are to be initiated for filling East Madison and East Main streets through the low lands.

Upholds Blow Struck Mashes.
Judge Bennett in Municipal Court for the second time since he assumed the police judicial bench July 1, disregarded a strict interpretation of the statutes yesterday and released a prisoner upon finding the circumstances of his offense of a commendable nature. Adolph Muller was the prisoner and he was arrested on an assault charge at the instance of Timothy J. Carney. In his testimony against Miller, Carney said the former struck him because he attempted to fiirt with a young girl on the street. "That is sufficient, you are discharged," said Judge Bennett to Muller. "You did what any honest man would have done."
Two Firm Enginess Purchased. The

Two First Engines Purchased.—The fire committee of the Executive Board yesterday afternoon reversed the action of the old committee regarding two-third sized fire engines for the local depart-ment. A. G. Long, of Portland, was the successful bidder and the former com-mittee and the former Board awarded to him the contract, but later rescinded it, owing to alleged favoritism by Chief Campbell. Feeling that there was no favoritism, and that everything was perfectly proper, the present committee de-cided to buy the engines, which are urgently needed. The new Board this afternoon will undoubtedly approve this

PORTLANDER DIES IN SOUTH.-George Lambess, an Oregon ploneer of 1847, died yesterday at Los Angeles, aged & years. yesterday at Los Angeles, aged 63 years.

Mr. Lambess, came to Oregon with his
parents the year following his birth. He
lived for many years on a farm near
Hillsboro, but for the past 20 years had
made his home in Portland, until a year
ago, when he removed to Los Angeles.
He is survived by his mother, wife and
one daughter. The remains will be
brought here for interment.

ROBBERT SUSPECT PROVES ALIBI.—The case against Frank Tompson, a 20-year-old youth, arrested on a charge of holding up and robbing John Molster, proprietor of a saloon, at 720 Division street. last Friday night, was disposed of in Municipal Court yesterday morning when Thompson proved an allbi.

#### CHILDREN TO SEE GIANT

Souvenir Matinee Will Be Given at Orpheum Theater Tomorrow.

Tomorrow, Saturday matinee, the Orph eum will give a special children's matine The little folks will then have an oppo tunity of seeing a modern production of that famous old fairy tale, "Jack, the Glant Killer," with a real live giant and a diminutive Jack. Captain George Auger is the tallest actor upon the stage, being 8 feet 2 inches, and weighs 385 pounds.



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the stage and all present will have an opportunity to meet both Captain Auger and Mr. Rommel. Souvenirs will be given

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BIDS FOR INSTALLING WATER PIPES EXCEED ESTIMATES.

Mayor Considers Engaging Competent Man to Do Work at Municipal Expense.

Unless contractors submit lower bids for laying water mains, Mayor Simon will arrange, by authority of the Water Board to engage someone on behalf of the city to install them as a municipal proposition This was the decision reached yesterday morning at the Board meeting, called to consider proposals for the installation of from Nineteenth to Twenty-fifth. There were two bids, each exceeding the esti-mate of the engineer, and readvertisement was ordered. This will give the bidders one more opportunity to submit lower of-

"I do not wish to have the city engage in the business of laying mains," said Mayor Simon, after the meeting, "but we will do so unless the contractors make better bids. I am going to investigate the matter from a legal standpoint, as there is some question as to how the city there is some question as to how should proceed under the charter, in case we decide to lay some mains. If we lay any, it will simply be as a matter of protection to the city from exorbitant

protection to the city from exorainarrates by contractors."

There has been a great deal of trouble
over the laying of water mains; in fact,
no mains have been laid for a long time,
as the contractors have been figuring
very high. This is largely because they
fear their money will be held up by some
property owner, who may object to the
laws under which the work is to be done.
This amplies only to mains over 10 inches property owner, who may object to the laws under which the work is to be done. This applies only to mains over 10 inches in diameter, however, as these only are laid and charged to the "benefited property." The question is, what property is benefited by a water main? Some allege the whole city is benefited, and the contractors have all along feared that someone would hold up the payments for this class of work, and have consequently figured probably about 15 per cent to cover the interest and the delay, should their money be held up.

While there is a crying demand for mains all over the city, very few are being laid, owing to the peculiar situation that prevails. Mayor Simon and the members of the Water Board, Messrs. Wilcox, Ainsworth, Mackay and Lamson, are endeavoring to work out some plan whereby this class of work can be rushed forward and the residence sections in

wheek, Ainsworth, Mackay and Lamson, are endeavoring to work out some plan whereby this class of work can be rushed forward and the residence sections in particular be relieved of water famine.

### JOHN FOSHAY FALLS DEAD

Albany Resident Succumbs to Heart Failure at Newport.

NEWPORT, Or., Aug. 12-(Special.)-NEWPORT, Or, Als. Topcharman, John Foshay, a prominent Albany man, former partner of Foshay & Mason and school director, 72 years old, dropped dead this evening while walking with his daughter. He had talked with an old friend 20 minutes before his death, and a few minutes before his death, and a few minutes later complained to his daughter of feeling tired, and sat down to rest, where he died. The body will be sent to Albany tomorrow. Heart failure is believed to be the cause of Foshay's

### OIL COMPANY IN TROUBLE

Receiver Named for Willamette Valley Firm.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 12-(Special.)-Upon the application of Fred J. Rice, C. C. Rice has been appointed receiver of the Willametts Valley Oll Company. The officers of this concern are W. A. Leet and C. W. Taylor, formerly Michigan men, but now regionals of Poythand. mt now residents of Portland. but now residents of Portland.
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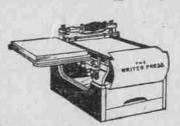


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