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AMUSEMENTS.

OPHEUM THEATRE—(Marion, between Sixth and Seventh)—Advanced vaudeville. Matinee at 2:15. Tonight at 8:15. GRAND THEATRE—(Washington, between Seventh and Park)—Vaudeville de luxe. 7:30 and 9 P. M. PANTAGES THEATRE—(Fourth and Stark)—Continues vaudeville. 7:30, 9:30 and 10:30 P. M. LYRIC THEATRE—(Seventh and Alder)—Alison Stock Company in "The Ranch King" tonight at 8:15. STAR THEATRE—Moving picture show every afternoon and evening. 2 to 10:30 o'clock.

MURK NAME A PRICE—Mayor Simon will not consider the purchase of the four blocks of the Hawthorne Park tract on Hawthorne avenue, until the owners have placed a price on the land and submitted it definitely. This was the report submitted at the meeting of the Side Business Men's Club Thursday night in the club quarters on Grand avenue, by C. A. Bigelow, chairman of the park committee. The report was an inflexible statement of the situation. Mr. Bigelow said that the only assurance the park committee had been able to obtain from the Mayor was that the purchase of the tract would be considered if the owners will put a price on the land. Mr. Bigelow also said that there appears to be some influence that is operating against the consideration of the movement to secure this tract for Central East Portland, but what the motive could be was not known to the committee. There has been a sort of a "stalemate" on this tract for years that has neutralized all efforts to secure it. "However, the owners will be asked to name a price for the four blocks on this tract in negotiations." It was decided to make arrangements to hold a mass meeting in Hawthorne Park as soon as it can be done to demonstrate the sentiment of the public.

FUNERAL OF MATTIE SCHUYLER—The funeral of Miss Mattie Schuyler, who lost her life last week while bathing in the Willamette River, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Spokane-Avenue Presbyterian Church. She had been a member of this church, and the services will be conducted by Rev. D. A. Thompson, the pastor. According to the best evidence, Miss Schuyler's death was caused by heart failure. Her little nephew was sitting on the bank and saw Miss Schuyler's head drop forward in the water and there was no struggle afterwards. No water was found in her lungs, according to the undertaker. Miss Schuyler was subject to heart weakness and this was not the first time she had fainted. Her death was a great shock to her many friends in the city.

MILKMAN AGAIN IN TROUBLE—John Huber, a dairymen living near Hillsboro was arrested yesterday noon by Constable Wagner on the complaint of State Food and Dairy Commissioner Bailey, charged with selling bad milk. The records of the Justice's court show that Huber is the old offender, yesterday's arrest marking the third time he has been haled before the authorities on the same charge. The first time he was fined \$25, the second time \$50, and this time he will be convicted, he will be fined \$100, the maximum penalty as provided by the pure food regulations. According to Commissioner Bailey, samples of milk obtained from Huber's customers showed that the milk sold by him contained less than 2 per cent butterfat, and less than a total of 12 per cent solids. It is believed defective electric wiring caused ignition of the woodwork. A large hole was burned in the ceiling and the contents of a room on the second floor. The Fire Department responded promptly and extinguished the fire in quelling the flames.

LETTERS-CARRIERS "BOOST"—News has been received through W. J. Hoffman, who is traveling in the East, that the Portland delegates to the National Letter-Carriers' convention being held in St. Paul, are doing a large amount of boosting for Portland. The chief booster of the Portland delegation is W. P. Lyman. Several hundred pounds of salmon and 20 boxes of Oregon apples were shipped to St. Paul and used last Thursday evening as the main course in a dinner given by the Portland delegates to the other members of the convention. It is thought the affair was an immense advertising feature for the city.

BURIED AT OLD HOME—The interment of Mrs. Ann B. C. Jackson, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. T. Burnett, Thursday, September 2, at the age of 72 years, will be held at her old home at Belle Plain, Ia. She had lived at the home of her daughter for the past two years. She is survived by her three daughters, Mrs. H. T. Burnett, Mrs. W. S. Tupper and Miss Katherine B. Jackson. Mrs. Burnett and Miss Jackson are in company with the remains to the old home.

COUNTRY CLUB RACES. ON LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 6. Running races, trotting races, pacing races, pair-horse race and a farmers' race. The best day's sport of the season. REVERSING DRIVING CLUBS. Tickets, including grandstand, 50 cents. "TIES THAT BIND US TO THE BEST" will be Luther E. Dyott's theme in the First Congregational Church, tomorrow at 11 A. M. Dr. Dyott's theme at 7:45 P. M. will be "The Twin Angels of Life: Labor and Rest."

COUNCIL CREST DANCING PAVILION. Beautifully decorated, fine floor, capacity 300 couples. Will be rented for private parties on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Phone Main 552. SUNDAY EXCURSION—To Cascade Locks on steamer Balise. \$1 round trip; leaves Alder-st. dock at 8 A. M., returns at 1:30 P. M. Phone M 914. CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Thomas Holmes Walker will preach tomorrow on "The Result of His Choice" and "Saved by Hope."

DR. A. TILLEN has removed his office to suite 222, the Marquam, second floor. Phone: Pacific Main 74. Home A 739. FREE TO MEN—Dr. Taylor's \$10,000 museum, now open, admission free, 324 1/2 Morrison street. "LEFFERS" pure gold seamless wedding rings, all sizes; engraving free; price, \$5 to \$15. 472 Washington street. THE OREGONIAN BUILDING has a few choice office rooms for rent. Call at room 251. YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION Gymnasium. Fall term, register at once. SIMONSON'S UNION ORCHESTRA dance music a specialty. Phone Tabor 625. SHIPPER'S SPRINGS is the place for you. E. L. Shipper, manager. HIMOVSKY & WALLSTEIN, ladies' tailors. Selling-Hirsch bldg. DR. DARLINO returned, 212 East 29th.

CHARGES THREATS TO KILL—On the complaint of W. H. Halpitt, an abstractor, with office in the Corbett building, Frank Lemon and a woman giving the name of Caroline Lemon, but who admitted that she was not Lemon's wife, were arrested yesterday afternoon and placed in the County Jail in default of bail on the charge of having threatened to kill Halpitt. Caroline Lemon is Halpitt's former wife. She recently came to Portland with Lemon and made an attempt to get the custody of her two children, whom the court had awarded to the care of Halpitt when the divorce was granted. Halpitt to get his consent she threatened to shoot him. Halpitt says yesterday he alleges that in the office of Attorney McDevitt, where he had gone to make an arrangement with his ex-wife, Lemon, who was present drew a revolver and struck at him and made threats. Lemon says she was arrested at the residence of her former husband in the County Jail. The case comes up today in the Justice's Court.

WILL MOVE OLD BUILDING—The Mount Taylor Presbyterian Church and Sunday school will hold services tomorrow in the old building on the corner of East Fifty-fifth and Belmont streets. The old building is to be moved to the southwest corner of East Fifty-fifth and East Start streets and will be used by the congregation until the new church building, to be erected at Belmont and East Fifty-fifth streets, is ready for occupancy. It had been expected the present church building would be moved to the new location and be ready for use there Sunday, but on account of the delay in the building process it is not possible to get it started toward the new location before next Monday. Hence the church services for the September 12 will be held at the new location. There will be no evening services Sunday, but the regular services at 10 o'clock for Sunday school and 11 A. M. for preaching will be held.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MASS MEETING—At the Taylor-Street Methodist Episcopal Church, on Monday evening, September 6, at 8 o'clock, there will be a gathering of all those interested in the union teacher training class for Sunday school workers. Everybody is invited to hear the plan explained and to hear its urgent need in Portland Sunday schools set forth. Short, pointed talks have been planned that no one who expects to be identified with an up-to-date Sunday school can afford to miss. Among those to be heard are asked to speak are: Dr. D. L. Rader, Rev. E. Nelson Allen, Dr. Luther R. Dyott, Dr. W. F. Benson, Rev. D. M. McKee, Dr. J. Whitcomb, Dr. J. H. Walker, Dr. William H. Foulkes, Dr. Benjamin Young, Mrs. H. N. Smith, Rev. C. A. Phillips and J. Albert Emrich.

WOMAN ACCUSED ARMAUD—Tony Arnaud, saloonkeeper at 27 E. Everett street, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy Constable Kieran, on a charge of beating Lena Monroe, a vaudeville actress. Arnaud was released after giving bonds for his appearance in the Justice's court today. Besides beating and kicking the young woman and destroying a late military creation, which she was wearing at the time, Arnaud is accused of taking her pocketbook which contained \$30. Arnaud retailed by accusing the woman of the theft of a diamond ring valued at \$50 which he says she took from his finger and attempted to hide. She was arrested yesterday afternoon and her bail fixed at \$250.

PARSON TO BE EXILED—Rev. J. H. Allen, for the last 12 months a resident of the city recently exchanged his home on East Everett and East Twenty-seventh streets, for a home in Pasadena, Cal., whether he is expecting to return to the city is not known. He will conduct a farewell service tomorrow at the church of the Nazarene, corner of East Couch and East Twenty-seventh streets. Mr. Allen recently met with an accident which has made him a cripple for life. The subject at 11 A. M. will be "The Bible Evidence of the Existence of the Holy Ghost." The subject for the evening, by the request of the pastor in the public congregation will be "The Atonement."

FIRE CAUSES \$500 DAMAGE—Fire yesterday afternoon damaged the residence of F. L. Branchard, 545 Vancouver avenue, to the extent of about \$500. The blaze broke out in the ceiling of a room on the second floor. It is believed defective electric wiring caused ignition of the woodwork. A large hole was burned in the ceiling and the contents of a room on the second floor. The Fire Department responded promptly and extinguished the fire in quelling the flames.

WOMAN FOLLOWS LONG FIAT FIGHT—The story of a hand-to-hand encounter which lasted for several minutes in the engine-room of the towboat Oklahoma Thursday night, leaving the two combatants exhausted and bloody, came out last night when James Shaefer, a fireman on the boat, was arrested on an assault and battery charge which he is held at the City Jail under \$500 bail. R. Hawkins with whom he fought swore to the complaint.

LETTERS TO CLOSE MONDAY—At a meeting held by the directors of the Retail Grocers' Association last night it was decided to close grocery stores all day Monday, which will be Labor day. The action was taken to show regard for the labor unions as well as provide a day of pleasure for employees. The action behooves the housewife to lay in supplies to hold over from Saturday night to Tuesday morning.

SEWER NOT YET ACCEPTED—The Brooklyn sewer was not accepted yesterday, contrary to expectations, on account of a mistake in the dropping out of the official advertisement in the city publication. It is probable now that the big tube will not be taken over until the regular meeting of the Executive Board, next Friday. The acceptance has to be advertised for five days in the official paper.

ROADWAY VICTIM IN HOSPITAL—With several bones broken and believed to be injured internally, Emil Eller, of Gresham, who was thrown from his buggy yesterday morning, was brought to Portland last night and taken to Good Samaritan Hospital in the Holman ambulance. Eller's condition is critical, though the chances for recovery are in his favor. SCHOOL BOOKKEEPING O. K.—Expert Ferguson has just finished checking up the receipts and disbursements of the County School Superintendent, and reports that he found everything in first-class condition. The law providing that the County Clerk shall check up the receipts of the School Superintendent, Mr. Ferguson's report was approved by County Clerk Fields.

REPORT OF PRISONERS FILED—Sheriff Stevens filed with County Clerk Fields yesterday his monthly report of prisoners in the County Jail. Thirty-five are behind the bars, six of whom are accused of murder. They are: James Finch, R. T. Dickerson, Hans Goodger, Edward H. Martin, Lem Wood and Yee Gueng. AT THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner Alder and Twelfth streets, tomorrow, the pastor, Dr. William Hiram Foulkes, will preach, 10:30 A. M., "Faith's Golden Mean"; 7:30 P. M., "In the School of Labor." Music by the regular quartet and chorister. KIBER DAILY IS CHANGED—Milk Inspector Mack closed the dairy of J. Kiser on the Canyon road, yesterday, owing to the charge that he allowed shocking conditions to exist at his ranch. The notice was issued by City Health Officer Wheeler.

STOLEN HORSE FOUND—The horse and buggy said to have been stolen from J. H. Palmer, of the Woodrose Nursery Company, Thursday night, were found yesterday near Kendall Station. The animal was taken from Lents.

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There are to be evolutions gone through with marches, Maypole and other pretty dances, and songs by the class. That should attract a host of big people, for what is so attractive and what strikes a more responsive chord than the sight of children in gleeful play?

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