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MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD.—Annual memorial services were conducted last night in the hall of Multnomah Camp, on East Sixth and Alder streets, by Woodmen of the World and Women of Woodcraft, a large audience filling the hall, which had been attractively decorated for the occasion.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL PRIER WINNERS NAMED.—At the strawberry festival held at Estacada Saturday more than 400 people attended. Following were the prize winners in the exhibition placed in the rooms of the Estacada Commercial Club under whose auspices the festival was held: Magoon berries, first prize, for best 12 boxes, won by P. Conklin; Wilson berries, first prize, won by H. D. Trapp; Magoons, second prize, for best 12 boxes, won by V. Lingelbach; Magoons, third prize, for best 12 boxes, won by Walter Snuffin; individual boxes, first prize best box, "Gold Dollar," won by P. Conklin; Magoons, first prize for best single box, won by H. E. Epperson; Clark seedlings, first prize, won by John Osborne; G. W. Steele, of Walla Walla, was the winner of ball games were played. At 10:30 o'clock there was a game between Estacada and Gardfield won by the former, and another game in the afternoon between Estacada and White Diamond club, won by Estacada.

CONFERENCE MEETS THURSDAY.—The United Brethren Conference of Oregon will convene in Philmont next Thursday to continue over Sunday. Bishop William Bell, D. of Berkeley, Cal., who has been presiding at the Walla Walla conference, will be present at the Oregon conference. L. O. Miller, treasurer of the general board, will be present. Rev. H. C. Shaffer, superintendent of Portland district, reports that 15 new churches have been erected in Oregon during the conference year, 15 of which were built in and near Portland and that the membership has increased between 50 and 40 per cent, the largest gains made in ten years.

COMMONS TAG DAY TO NET \$1000.—Tag day has so far netted the Portland Commons, Louisa Creek, and Industrial Park at Eagle Creek \$1500. When all the returns are in his sum is expected to be swelled to \$1900. Those in charge of the fund believe it would have been more than twice as large if those who offered to assist in selling tags had responded. Three hundred registered, but only 125 reported. To these 125 the public responded heartily. The fund will be divided between the three commons. Rev. G. MacLaren thanks the public for co-operating.

MRS. MARY A. DENNINGER DIES.—Mrs. Mary Anna Delinger died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. K. Yuce, 485 East Ninth street North, June 3, at the age of 79 years. She is survived by two daughters of this city, Mrs. H. K. Yuce and Mrs. E. S. Bollinger, and was the mother of Mrs. J. H. Thomas, of Baltimore, and Allen T. Delinger, of York, Pa. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the East Side Funeral Directors Chapel, 414 East Alder street, where the body will be in effigie. The body will be taken to York, Pa., for interment.

MERCHANTS ATTENTION.—S. M. Cooper, representative for Hoffman Rothchild & Co., wholesale clothing of New York and San Francisco, will be in Portland for Rose Festival and until June 14, at his sample room, No. 2, Bagley, Rev. Transfer Company building, Sixth and Oak streets, with a complete line of suits, overcoats and raincoats for Fall; also, dress for immediate delivery. Write the San Francisco branch. Appointments by mail promptly attended to.

IS HONOR OF MOTHERHOOD SERVICES HELD.—"Mothers' day" was observed yesterday morning in the Piedmont Presbyterian Church. At the services each one present received a carnation from a young woman of the altar guild. Mothers, who were not able to attend, were brought to church in an automobile. Rev. J. N. Snyder, the pastor, delivered an appropriate sermon. N. J. Taylor gave a solo.

LUNCHEON AT EXCHANGE TODAY.—Cream of tomato soup, baked halibut, new peas and cream, imported macaroni and cheese, creamed eggs on toast, stewed ribs, Spanish; lettuce and nut sandwiches, roast beef, lamb, curry and rice; apple and celery salad, stuffed mushrooms, wild blackberry pie, apple sago, strawberry shortcake and vanilla ice cream, 186 Fifth street, near Yamhill. Tables for mon. • This week every good citizen should year a rose in his hat and drink Wild Higon Springs mineral water. Just the place to go for a summer outing. Stop at Skidmore Drug Company, 151 Third st. and get descriptive folder, free.

FOR SALE.—W. General Electric Generator, belt type; complete, with panel and rail base. Address room 301 Oregonian bldg.

PORTLAND WOMEN'S UNION.—Monthly meeting today at 2:30 o'clock. A 510 handers street. Members urged to be present.

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CHILDREN'S DAY OBSERVED.—Children's day was celebrated at the First Christian Church yesterday by appropriate exercises in the Sunday school. Several East Side Sunday schools also observed it, among them those of Highland Congregational Church, Hassalo Congregational Church, Universalist Church of the Good Things and Oakley Green United Evangelical, Centenary and Sunnyside Methodist Churches combined their exercises with those of the Hartmann tabernacle in Hawthorne. The First Christian Church combined its children's day exercises with a rally for missions, raising \$100. Some of the West Side churches will give next Sunday over to the children, the children's day programs being held by the various churches on some Sunday in June, which is left to the wishes of each.

Dr. Dreyer, DeMarco, Luther R. Dyott, of the First Congregational Church, will preach three baccalaureate sermons in as many colleges during the week, two at Newberg yesterday afternoon, and last night preached the commencement sermon at the high school at that place. Next Sunday day he will preach the baccalaureate sermon for the Washington State College at Pullman, Wash., on June 15 he will preach the baccalaureate sermon at Newberg, and on June 9, for the University of Oregon at Eugene. He has also consented to deliver a number of sermons at various points in the state. Rev. J. J. Staub, of Sunnyside Congregational Church, preached for Dr. Dyott at the First Church last night. Miss Anna Will, of Portland, minister at their monthly meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Will discuss the question of temperance, following a paper by Rev. Clarence True Wilson on "Why Oregon is Going Dry." Dr. Benjamin Young, chairman of the meeting, will appoint a committee to nominate officers for the coming year. This morning's meeting will be the last until September, when a report of the nominating committee will be received at that time. All interested in the prohibition question are invited by the ministers to be present at the meeting.

AUTO VICTIM RECOVERING.—Although suffering great pain from his injuries, William T. Edwell, the Seattle real estate man who was badly hurt in an automobile accident Saturday night, is now on the fair road to recovery. His left ankle is fractured in two places and his body bears several severe bruises. While riding in an automobile, the driver lost control and Edwell leaped into a ditch. He was brought to town in the Red Cross ambulance and left in a hospital, believed that his injuries might prove to be internal and therefore fatal. Edwell lives at 125 Second street, West Seattle.

RUSSELL STREET TO BE IMPROVED.—Russell street is to be improved in two sections. The first improvement is between Delay and Ross streets with asphalt pavement and the cost will be \$602, and the other improvement is between Ross street and Gantenben avenue and will be of stone blocks laid on a concrete foundation six inches thick. At present Russell street is covered with broken planks and it carries a very heavy load especially the part that is to be paved with concrete blocks. The last improvement is estimated to cost \$14,432.

AUTO SEATS SLASHED.—While the new automobile of Dr. E. J. Marsh was standing in the street opposite the Oregonian building yesterday afternoon, some miscreants armed with a sharp knife, slashed the rear leather seats to shreds. Damage to the extent of \$50 was done, and entirely new leather seats had to be put in the machine. That the damage had been done by messenger boys was the information conveyed to the chagrined physician last night.

ALBINA REVIVAL CLOSURE.—Revival meetings which have been held in the Rodney Avenue Christian Church for several weeks, closed yesterday. The revival services which took up practically the entire day. Evangelists Whiston and Longman, of Nebraska, have been assisting the pastor, Rev. T. B. Pickett. Meetings were all well attended and 50 confessed conversion.

TO AFFORD late train service for Rose Festival visitors, the Oregon Electric Railway will operate special cars leaving Portland for Salem and intermediate points daily at 11:15 P. M., and for Hillsboro, Forest Grove and intermediate points daily at 11:30 P. M., June 6 to 11, inclusive.

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DANIELS WILL LECTURE.—Professor J. W. Daniels is to deliver an address at the First Congregational Church tonight on "God's Wondrous Works Seen in His Planets." This address on astronomy will follow a dinner given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the church at 6:30 o'clock.

DR. HIGGS has returned from his Eastern visit. Corbett bldg.

VOTERS MUST REGISTER

BOOKS TO OPEN TOMORROW FOR STATE ELECTION. Registration Two Years Ago Does Not Count—County Clerk Completes Preparations. Registration of voters for the state election November 8 begins tomorrow morning. For the benefit of Portland voters County Clerk Fields has had a large booth erected on the west side of the Courthouse, and he expects to register 400 voters a day on the average. This would mean a total registration of 42,000. The first registration period extends until September 15, when the registration books will be closed for the primary election. The books will be reopened September 25 and will remain open until a date to be fixed before the election. Whether or not a voter registered two years ago, he must reregister this year if he is to cast his ballot.

YOUTH CHEATS LAW

Clyde Hill, Who Robbed Cousins, Kills Himself. PORTLAND WARRANT OUT

Money and Heirlooms Stolen From Relatives in Whose Home He Had Been Guest for Weeks. Had Promised Payment.

Confronted with a warrant for his arrest on a charge of stealing money and jewels from his cousin, Mrs. Charles Dickie, of this city, Clyde Hill, 25 years old, killed himself in his room in Baraboo, Wis., yesterday morning as an officer waited for him down stairs. Information to this effect reached Captain of Detectives Moore yesterday afternoon from the City Marshal of Baraboo.

Portland authorities have been searching for the young man for several months, and it was not until Mrs. Dickie reported to detective headquarters last Saturday that Hill was visiting at his home in Baraboo that any clue to his whereabouts was found. Immediately the captain Moore telegraphed to the police of the Wisconsin town to hold the young man.

Behind the story of Hill's suicide lies a story of deception. Hill stole from his relatives' belongings which were priceless. Scion of a prominent family, having an excellent college education, Clyde Hill was the "wild cat" from Wisconsin to Oregon.

Cousins His Hosts. Hill, dressed in the height of fashion, apparently a man of good breeding and taste, came to Portland last April. He called upon his cousins, Charles Dickie and his wife, and was their guest during his stay here. The Dickies at that time lived on Williams avenue, on the East Side, but have removed since to 214 Morris street. Five weeks after Hill came here he disappeared. As he had been constantly at the home of his relatives during his stay in Portland, considerable anxiety was caused when he failed to appear. A search of his room revealed why he had left. The young man had left an extensive trunk behind him. "I have taken \$120 in cash and the rings," said his short letter. "If I do not settle with you for them my mother will foot the bill."

Act Cores as Surprise. Captain Moore was as much surprised by the suicide of the guest in his home as was Mrs. Dickie. That Hill had stolen the money, intending to repay it at a later date, was the belief of the authorities, as well as of Mrs. Dickie.

"I am shocked beyond words at the outcome," said Mrs. Dickie yesterday. "Clyde Hill came to live with us in April, and we did not have the slightest idea that he was short of funds. When he disappeared—rather, left our house suddenly—he left a note behind, admitting that he had taken the jewelry and the money."

"I prized the rings very much. Hill's letter to us, when he disappeared, said that his mother would make up our loss. He did not intimate that he personally would refund the money taken."

Mr. Dickie is a well-known railroad man, now out of the city. Mrs. Dickie called on Captain Moore several times after the case was first given into his hands and appeared eager that the young man be caught.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE ON

Astoria & Columbia Puts on Fine Service to Beach.

The new schedule between Portland and beach resorts over the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad went into effect last Saturday. This gives three trains each way a day, with four for the beach on Saturday, and four for Portland on Monday. In other words, an extra limited train takes passengers to the beach Saturday and brings them back Monday, leaving Seaside at 9 A. M. and arriving in Portland at 12:30. The Seaside-bound special train on Saturday leaves at 2:30 P. M. The Ocean Shore Limited, leaving Portland at 9:20 A. M. daily, stops only at Goble, Rainier and Astoria. Returning and arriving in Portland at 10:15 P. M. daily, it does likewise. The run is being made this season in three weeks, which, according to Harry M. Adams, general passenger agent, has never been done on this line before. The special trains have been put on two weeks earlier than usual, and the management of the railroad expects to extend the season two or three weeks in the Fall. Hereafter it has been the custom to dispense with the service about the middle of September.

REVIVAL MEETINGS CLOSE

Jubilee Service Held for Special Benefit of 700 Converts.

Union evangelistic meetings in Hawthorne Park Tabernacle, which have been conducted the past six weeks by Rev. Herbert C. Hart and Rev. A. S. Maguire, under the auspices of 40 East Side churches, closed last night with a general meeting. A Sunday school rally was held at 9:30 A. M., and at 10:30 Rev. Mr. Hart preached a sermon. A jubilee service for the converts, of whom there are 700, was held at 2 P. M. At the closing meeting the finances of the union meetings were cleared up by a large collection. Expenses of the meetings have been met out of the daily collections of \$50 a day. The tabernacle building, which cost a little more than \$150, was paid for by a popular subscription of \$1 from each who desired to contribute. The building will be retained on the grounds a year for mass meetings and conventions. Forty-five East Side churches supported the evangelist movement. The estimated attendance is 140,000. About 2000 expressed a desire to accept Christ, and the conversions totalled between 700 and 800. Seven hundred cottage meetings were held and 69 meetings in the taber-

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