

Fresh Southern Strawberries, Special Two Boxes for Only 35c—Fresh Green Asparagus, Special at only 7c a pound Store Open Tonight Until 9:30—Evening Concert in Auditorium, 4th Floor, by "Ruzzi" and Band—Picture Framing Principal Portland Agents for "Vudor" Porch Shades and Hammocks—Houses for Rent—Apply at Rental Dept., 3d Floor



Evening Specials From 6 to 9:30 \$1.50 to \$2 Kid Gloves Only 79c

75c Hose for 39c 6 to 9:30 P. M., a sale of women's Gauze Silk Stockings, fashioned or seamless foot; garter tops and spliced soles; regular 50c and 75c values, special evening price, pair 39c

50c Vests for 33c 6 to 9:30 P. M., main floor, underwear store. Women's swiss-ribbed mercerized vests, also extra fine cotton vests, low neck, sleeveless; 33c regular 50c values, special at 33c

35c Coffee at 25c 6 to 9:30 P. M., the popular O. W. K. Special roast, all whole, pure Coffee Beans, high grade, perfect blend; Portland's best 35c coffee, on 25c special sale at only, the pound

12 1/2c Can'd Corn 10c 10c Baking Soda 5c 6 to 9:30 P. M., in the grocery department. Fancy Maine Corn, Monmouth brand, regular 12 1/2c grade, on 10c special sale at this price, tin BAKING SODA, the famous Arm and Hammer brand, regular 10c pkg. during the evening sale at only 5c

Free Base Ball Tickets For Sunday's Game

For today, in our men's and boys' clothing and furnishings department we will give with each purchase amounting to \$1.00 or more, a ticket to Sunday's game Free

Seats for the Kirmess ON SALE AT THE HELIG THEATER, MONDAY Performances April 27, 28 and 29. Matinee Saturday.

SHOE-SHINING PARLORS IN THE BASEMENT.

The Greater Olds, Wortman & King Store

Pneumatic Cushions 50c, 75c and \$1.25 Ea. Take one to the ball game. No fan should be without one. Then carry them in their pockets; women carry them in their bags. They are easily inflated. Best ever shown. On sale on fourth floor at, each, 50c, 75c and \$1.25

Bargain Circle Candy Specials Another day for delicious Confectionery. A better quality and more for your money than at any other store. On sale on the bargain circle, main floor. Prices as follows:

- 40c Matinee Caramels 20c 40c Toasted Rolls at 27c 75c Almond Brittle 50c 25c Fruit Gum Drops 18c 30c Taffy Straws for 21c 30c Dainty Hand Candy, on special sale, the pound, 18c 50c Assorted Cream Chocolates, special price, lb., 27c 30c Strawberry Shortcake Candy, on special sale at 18c 30c Raspberry Fruit Drops, special price, the lb., 18c 50c Chocolate Dipped Marshmallows, special at only 27c

Groceries

- ASPARAGUS, 7c POUND Fresh green tips, grocery dept., at, pound 7c PIONIC HAMS, 12 1/2c LB. Picnic Shoulder Hams, best for sandwiches, 12 1/2c at only, a pound BOHEMIAN BUTTER, TWO-POUND SQUARES, 59c CLOVER LEAF BUTTER, TWO POUNDS ONLY 49c Olives, large queen, 50c regular 60c a quart Stoltz's Apple But- 30c

Lecture—"Every Woman Her Own Dressmaker"

By Linda Ross Wade in Auditorium Fourth Floor at 3 P. M. Today

Mrs. Wade will show how any woman who can use a needle and follow a given plan can make beautiful dresses for morning, afternoon or evening wear, show how to secure a perfect fit, how to apply trimming, how to cut and plan. Bring notebooks and pencils. Questions answered. In the Auditorium on the fourth floor, at 3 P. M. today.

3 Great Specials in Men's Shirts

- \$1.25 Shirts for 59c LOT 1—In the basement underprice store, a sale of men's Shirts, comprising about 500 dozen, made of splendid materials in good range of patterns, light or dark shades, cuffs attached or detached. Shirts that sell regular at \$1.50, \$1.25, special for 59c \$2.50 Shirts for \$1.05 LOT 2—Main floor. The most extraordinary values in men's Shirts, all taken from regular stock. The materials are fine woven madras, oxfords and percales in a broad range of beautiful patterns; coat styles, with cuffs attached; regular \$2.00 and \$1.05, for today, each, only \$1.50 \$1.50 Shirts Only 95c LOT 3—Main floor. Sale of 200 dozen men's white Shirts in the coat styles with cuffs attached; all sizes in the lot, all sleeve lengths; all perfect fitting, with plaited bosoms; the best shirts for Summer wear. Our regular \$1.50 values, offered special 95c for today, each, only

Boys' \$7.50 Suits at \$4.45 Boys' \$2.00 Hats at \$1.29

In our exclusive hat store for little boys, main floor, we offer boys' new felt hats in all the popular shades in pearls, tans, browns, navy and black, in the new English scratch, telescope and crease \$1.29 crown styles; all sizes for boys; regular \$2.00 values at \$1.29 BOYS' SUITS in the most up-to-date styles, made of all-wool materials in the new shades for Spring; knickerbocker styles, with two pairs of pants; sizes 7 to 17 years; best regular \$6.50 and \$7.50 values, offered during this sale at low price of only \$4.45

Gendron Go-Carts \$17.50 Values \$9.98

Very high-grade Gendron ball-bearing Go-Carts, with 10-inch wheels, 1/2-inch tires; storm shield, frost and wind shield on back to protect baby's head; nickel-plated frame and nickel-plated guards to protect baby's clothes. Good spring in seat, extra wide, with celluloid and wood handles. The most comfortable cart made and the best \$17.50 carts in town. Reduced to only \$9.98

SPECIAL 25c DAIRY LUNCH SERV'D DAILY IN BASEMENT

Men's Oxfords \$5.00 Values \$2.39 Women's Oxfords \$4.00 Values \$1.98

1800 pairs of men's Oxfords in patent leather, gunmetal and tan stock, in a good selection of lasts \$2.39 and patterns; values to \$5.00, special, pair \$2.39 WOMEN'S Oxfords and Pumps, at less than it cost to make them. 1300 pairs go into one lot for speedy selling. Principally samples of the best makes. Tans, suedes, gunmetals and patent leathers; good selection of sizes, worth to \$4.00, at pair \$1.98 \$2.50 White Canvas Oxfords, special, the pair, 98c



Evening Specials From 6 to 9:30 Men's Pajamas \$4.50 Vals. \$2.15

6 to 9:30 P. M., a sale of men's high-grade Pajamas, made of imported madras, French percale, silk and linen materials, plain blue, tan, white, lavender or stripes and figures; all sizes, worth to \$4.50; special \$2.15 evening price, only, suit \$2.15

15c Kerchiefs 9c 6 to 9:30 P. M., 500 dozen men's linen-finish Handkerchiefs, full size, plain or initialed, hemstitched; 9c our regular 15c values, at, each

\$1.25 Union Suits for 65c 6 to 9:30 P. M., in the men's corner, main floor, cotton ribbed Union Suits, oeru or gray, medium weight, long sleeves and drawers; perfect fitting; regular \$1.25 values, special 65c evening price, only, the suit

\$1 Neckwear 19c 45c Ribbon 19c 6 to 9:30 P. M. A sensational sale of women's fancy neckwear, all the latest effects, in net, lace and lawn, jabots, cascades, Dutch and sailor styles; some slightly soiled. 19c Regular values to \$1.00, each

REBON—Thousands of yards of fancy Ribbons in Dresdens, plaids, checks, stripes, etc., also hair bow taffetas, moires and messalines; widths 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 inches; values up to \$1.00, special at only, the yd.

BANKER BETRAYED BY WIFE'S LETTER

F. N. Myers, Wanted in Portland, Arrested by Sheriff in Montana.

REFUGE FOUND ON RANCH Neighbor Telephones Information to District Attorney—Mismanagement of Italian-American Bank Charged.

Living on a ranch near Big Timber, Mont., under an assumed name, F. N. Myers, Portland bank promoter, wanted on the charge of accepting deposits for the insolvent Italian-American Bank, was found yesterday by the Sheriff of Sweet Grass County, Montana, and is now under arrest, awaiting the arrival of an officer from Portland to bring him back. A telegram announcing that fact was received yesterday afternoon by Captain of Detective Moore. Myers was betrayed through a chance conversation between Mrs. Myers and another woman in which a letter changed hands. The informant saw that it was addressed to Frank Nevius, at Big Timber, and, jumping to the conclusion that it was meant for the missing banker, telephoned the information to District Attorney Cameron. Upon telegraphing to the Montana town, Captain Moore learned that a man of that name was living on a ranch there, with his brother-in-law. Following premature announcement of the charges against him, Myers dropped from sight more than a month ago, and for two weeks Detectives Carpenter and Price devoted all their time to the theory that he was in hiding in Portland. His house was searched and his wife was questioned closely, but without throwing any light on the case. The detectives are still of the belief that Myers hid here until a good chance offered for his flight, when he proceeded to Montana. Myers is wanted in connection with the alleged mismanagement of the Italian-American Bank, which, it is charged, was never solvent and was not authorized under the state banking laws. He was also president of the Mount Scott Bank of Leola, which closed recently. Myers had been for many years a promoter of banks in many parts of the country. He is nearly 70 years old.

PASTOR TO VISIT NORWAY Rev. H. P. Nelson Is Granted Four Months Leave of Absence. Rev. H. P. Nelson, pastor of the First Norwegian and Danish Methodist Epis-

copal Church, Eighteenth and Hoyt streets, has been granted a four months' leave of absence by his congregation that he may return to Europe and visit his parents and other relatives, whom he has not seen since coming to America 25 years ago. His daughter, Naomi, will accompany him as far as Chicago, where she will spend the Summer visiting her best friend.

A farewell reception was tendered Mr. and Miss Nelson at the home of Mrs. A. Hansen, Montavilla, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Nelson, who has served as organist in the church, was presented with a purse. Mr. Nelson was given a handsome watch fob. Mr. Nelson will sail from New York May 4 and will go direct to Christiania, Norway, where he expects to arrive in time for the 17th of May celebration. He will remain in Copenhagen, Denmark, and will return to the United States by way of Berlin, Paris and London, remaining several weeks in England. Rev. J. Clausen, of Moscow, Idaho, has been selected to fill the vacancy during Mr. Nelson's absence.

CLUBS MAY TEST LAW

WATERS COMPLY WITH NEW LIQUOR LICENSE ORDINANCE. Stronger Organization, However, Will Test Measure if Necessary, It Is Said.

Clubs are left in doubt by the operation of the new model liquor license and there is even ground for the belief that druggists are in as bad a plight. Only a legal battle in the courts, and an amendment of the ordinance if its provisions are sustained, can give to operating bars within the hours when regular saloons are required to remain closed. Section 12 of the new ordinance says that it shall be unlawful for "any person" to sell or in any manner dispose of intoxicating liquors without first procuring a license. Careful search of the ordinance fails to reveal any saving clause in favor of clubs and while druggists are exempted from the legal definition of "retail liquor dealers" it does not appear that they get past the absolute "any person" in the license clause or the "no liquor" in the closing clause. The facts developed in the trial of the bartender of the Geneva Association in Municipal Court, when a jury found a verdict of guilty and sentence was suspended. The board of managers of the Portland Waiters' Club, at a meeting Thursday night, voted to comply with the ordinance and close during the regular hours of closing. It is said that the larger and richer clubs will fight this interpretation of the ordinance and will ask for an amendment if it is found valid against them. Eugene Banks to Open at 10 A. M. EUGENE, Or., April 21.—(Special)—The banks of Eugene after May 1 will open their doors for business at 10 o'clock instead of 9 as formerly. The closing hour will remain 3 P. M.

"OIL" MEN SCORED

Justice Excoriates Accused for Alleged Swindle.

WOMAN CHIEF WITNESS Demand for Smaller Bail Arouses Ire of Court and Officers of Company Are Bound Over to Grand Jury.

With a stinging excoriation by Justice Olson, in which the defendants were denounced for swindling a woman, while doing business on a "shoe-string," L. C. Hammer and W. H. Whiteaker, leading officers of the Lake Oil, Gas & Pipeline Company, were held to answer to the grand jury on a charge of swindling Emma A. Smith out of a valuable farm on the Base Line road. Denunciation by the court arose over a demand by the defendants' attorneys for lower bail and the return of the company's books, which they said, had been seized, "in a high-handed and illegal manner" by the District Attorney. Cry Is Overdone. "I think this cry of personal liberty is worked over time," said the court. "When men come into this court calling for consideration, they must come with clean hands. The District Attorney will retain the books and the bonds of the defendants will be fixed at \$5000 each." Hammer and Whiteaker were accused of having caused Mrs. Smith to sign a document which, she believed, was an option, but which she found to be a deed to 21 acres of land near Montavilla. It was also alleged that they had secured money from her on the representation that they were the owners of oil land in California, when in fact they possessed little more than a stock book and some office furniture. Former Officer Witness. G. T. Kelley, a former officer of the company and its locator on the lands in Mono County, California, was an important witness for the prosecution. He testified that the company had simply located on the 30 acres which it claimed to own and had been ousted from that through failure to follow up its claims. Pictures of gushing wells and bottles of specimen oil, purporting to be from their property, were identified by him as from fields eight miles from the land they had located on. The witness said that he had accepted 15,000 shares, valued at \$1 each, for locating the land, but when he saw the prospectus issued by the promoters he wrote to them, refusing to act with them and warning them that they would get into trouble. Suit has been filed by Kelley against the company for his services in locating the land and yesterday an attachment was issued against them for a printing bill. In addition a civil action has been

CHRIS EVANS NOT COMING

Pardoned Survivor of Notorious Gang Stays in California.

Chris Evans, pardoned survivor of the Sontag-Evans gang, which held California in terror nearly two decades ago, will not come to Portland and his days, as was at first his intention, Attorney Ditchburn, who has acted for the Evans family, in receipt of information that the aged man will instead go to live with his daughter in San Francisco. It being the opinion of his friends that he will thrive better there. Mrs. Evans and her eldest son left Portland upon the receipt of the news that Governor Johnson had granted the pardon for which the faithful wife had been fighting for 10 years. They are expected back in a few days. Evans is said to be a very sick man, and it is not believed that he will long survive the radical change in his habits. He lost an eye and a hand in the final battle when John Sontag was killed and he surrendered. His wife and four sons live in Montavilla.

BRIDE'S PLEA PREVAILS

Husband Who Financed Honeymoon With Bad Checks Set Free.

Dressed in her "going-away" gown, Mrs. E. C. Keyser, a bride of three weeks, appeared in Municipal Court yesterday to plead for her new husband, arrested by Detectives Carpenter and Price for passing bad checks, when he honeymooned. Keyser was arrested in an apartment-house, where he had given a worthless check in payment of the rent. The prisoner is a buttermaker in the employ of the Hazelwood Cream Company, at Keelo, Wash. He pleaded that he was drunk when he drew the checks. The complainant, out of sympathy with the wife, consented to a dismissal of the case, in Municipal Court, yesterday. Keyser was scored by Deputy District Attorney Hennessy, who told him to go home with his wife, "the best friend you've got on earth."

SEWER PROJECT TO WAIT

Council Orders Further Inquiry Into Peninsula Plans.

After a lively discussion yesterday morning, the sewer committee of the City Council voted to have the City Engineer proceed with his investigation of the best plan for a sewer to drain the Peninsula district, including Vernon, Woodlawn and Piedmont. An alleged order of City Engineer Morris to his deputy in charge of the sewer department to specify a certain kind of sewer pipe was rejected and open competition will be sought. A large number of residents from the districts involved were present and several of them spoke their sentiments. They counseled further investigation and said they believed the Council might well hesitate before proceeding with such an important project. Minnie Johnson, 16 years old, living on a farm near Manhartan, Kan., is the winner of a first prize of \$5 offered by the State Agricultural College for the best made loaf of bread. Eighteen counties were represented in the contest.

BIG PARADE PROMISED

FRATERNITIES TO TURN OUT FOR ROSE FESTIVAL.

National Guard May Have Place of Honor in Line—Prizes to Be Given for Marching.

At the meeting yesterday of the committee of arrangements for the East Side fraternal and military Rose Festival parade, the programme was tentatively outlined. C. C. Hall reported that 16 fraternal organizations had signified their intention of entering the parade, with the labor unions yet to be heard from. Adjutant-General Finzer, who is a member of the

committee, was present and suggested that the guard might enter the parade. If it does, it will have the place of honor. It was decided to offer a prize to the division of the guard which makes the best appearance in passing the reviewing stand. Following the guard will be the Spanish War Veterans, and a prize will be offered for the company making the best appearance. If a naval division from the visiting war ships enters, which is probable, a prize will be given the company making the best appearance. The prizes will be either silver loving cups or flags suitably inscribed. There will be a long line of fraternal orders. The first prize will be for the best uniformed and best equipped division. A prize will also be given to the order or lodge which makes the largest turn-out, and the committee may make this the first. A prize will be given for a unique turnout. Mr. Hall said that several of the orders had asked for space on Grand avenue for drills and exhibition marches. The Woodmen of the World

ask for two blocks. The improved Order of Red Men also will have a war dance. These drills will follow the marches. The orders which have lodge halls on the East Side will hold receptions after the parade. The affair has assumed larger proportions than expected and the line of march will be enlarged. Mr. Biscovey suggested that the procession start on Hawthorne avenue and proceed to Holladay avenue and return probably on Union avenue. General Finzer probably will be asked to direct the procession. Mr. Hall reported that subscriptions to the fund continued to grow. It was decided to invite the candidates for Mayor to hold a joint discussion at the carnival grounds next week. John W. Sicksel Smith, Greensboro, Pa., has three children, and like most children they frequently take cold. "We have tried several kinds of cough medicine," he says, "but have never found any yet that did them as much good as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." For sale by all dealers.

We'll Soon be Out of Business (Selling Pianos at Cost on) Easy Terms Tells the Tale Selling Pianos Without a Profit Is an unusual thing, but we are doing it in order to get out of business quickly. Only Sixty-Eight Left But you have a fine selection from the \$198 fellow, that usually sells for \$325, up to the \$1000 player at \$700. You want to see our \$457 Player—it cannot be duplicated for \$700. You will find a Piano in the lot to suit every need, and you might as well pocket the saving as to give it to the dealer who is continuing in business, but you will have to hurry. See our Tel-Electric Piano-Player The greatest invention of the age, says everybody who sees and hears it. Can be put in any piano. Now is the time to supply yourself with Talking Machines, Records and Player Music. Store open evenings by appointment. Store is Rented Hovenden Piano Company We'll Soon Be Out 106 Fifth Street, Next to Perkins Hotel