

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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AMUSEMENTS

HEILIG THEATER—(Eleventh and Taylor) Tonight at 8:15. BAKER THEATER—(Eleventh and Morrison) Tonight at 8:15.

WASHINGTON STUDENTS REWARDED

In appreciation of their work in behalf of the school on the floor and on the platform, the members of the Washington High School basketball team were yesterday presented with gold-adorned watch-fobs.

IVANHOE WANTS MORE WATER

The Ivanhoe Park Club has taken up the question of additional water supply and has appointed a committee to wait on the Water Board to ascertain what is contemplated to furnish Ivanhoe with more water and to prevent another shortage during this year.

HOLEMAN MURDER SUSPECT NOT SLAYER

While en route from Crescent City, Cal., to Montezuma, Wash., to answer a charge of forgery, H. P. Carr, a prisoner of Deputy Sheriff Boyce of Chahalis County, attracted the notice of local officers on account of his resemblance to the man who murdered Richard Holeman in a Russell-street rooming-house.

RESTRICTIONS REMOVED FROM FISHHOUSE

Building restrictions have been removed from a lot at East Forty-third and Sandy roads in Rose City Park division, where the city has determined to establish an engine-house.

QUEEN CONTEST TO START

Ballot boxes are being distributed at points along the coast from Astoria to Keston for the queen contest of the Peninsula Home Association.

WOODLAWN PARENTS AND TEACHERS TO MEET

The Woodlawn Parents and Teachers Association of Woodlawn will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow at 7:30 P. M.

NEW CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH TO BE BUILT

A new Congregational Church will be erected in the Waverly-Richmond district this year. Rev. Mr. Wise, who has been in charge of the mission, has begun a project to acquire two lots and build a church in the middle of a district in which there is no church.

ORGANIST'S SHOULDERBLADE BROKEN

Frederick W. Goodrich, organist at St. Mary's Cathedral, fell on East Morrison and Union avenue, Monday night and sustained a broken shoulderblade. Notwithstanding his injury Professor Goodrich was able to play the organ yesterday at a wedding ceremony in St. Mary's Cathedral.

FIRE CHIEF INSPECTING SCHOOLS

Fire Chief Campbell and his assistants have been engaged the past few weeks in inspecting schoolhouses throughout the city. He has examined the buildings in good condition.

MONDAY MEDICAL CLUB CONCERT

Masonic Temple, Tuesday evening, May 9, chorus of 150 women's voices, under choral director, Mrs. E. L. LeFrida Heller Weinstein.

LETS TO BUILD FLOAZ

The Commercial Club has decided to prepare a suitable East and take part in the East Side Business Men's parade in the Rose Festival.

PSYCHOLOGY CLUB TO MEET TODAY

The Psychology Club will meet at a 4 o'clock today in the afternoon of the Public Library. The time set will enable the class to hear Raymond Duncan's lecture on "Greek Gymnastics and Dancing" and will be in time for the psychology lesson.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The public is cordially invited to the opening of the exhibits of Signor Perera's famous collection of art jewelry containing 300 different pieces, Thursday, May 4, at Messrs. A. and C. Feldenhaymer, 743-245 Washington street.

WHERE TO DINE

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CARD OF THANKS

ALBIE Floss and family wish to thank the many friends who attended the funeral of Louis Floss for the kindly interest manifested toward the family, and especially to thank those who rendered services in conducting the funeral.

COMMITTEE OF COMPLAINTS TO MEET

Owing to the excitement pertaining to the city campaign and the desire of many of the members of the Committee of Fifty—which is investigating affairs of the Board of Education—to participate in its exercises, there have been no meetings held recently either of the committee, or of the subcommittee on complaints. However notices were sent out yesterday by Chairman Haak ordering a session of the subcommittee on complaints on May 9 in his office in the Lumbermen building.

CLOUDS OF VAPOR CAUSE FIRE CALL

Clouds of vapor, pouring from the Office of State Bank and Food Commissioner Bailey, in the Breeden building, caused some temperamental citizen to telephone a hurry call to the Fire Department yesterday. The downtown companies responded quickly and made ready to extinguish the fire, but found none. Accidental opening of a valve containing hydrochloric acid had half sufficed the chemist in charge. He poured ammonia over the spilled acid, and the combination caused a dense fog which from the street below looked like smoke.

BANK PRESIDENT PLEADS MONDAY

F. N. Myers, president of the defunct Mount Scott Bank, was arraigned before Judge Gantenben yesterday on two charges of having accepted deposits in the bank after it was known to be insolvent. He was given until Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock to plead to the charge against him.

PATTON HOME ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of the Patton Home Association will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, at the Home, 974 Michigan avenue, which is reached by the "L" car.

PLAY TEACHES ECONOMY

"The Spendthrift" Written as Rebuke to Feminine Extravagance.

"The Spendthrift," the latest dramatic work of Porter Emerson Browne, who wrote "A Fool There Was," will be the offering at the Heilig Theater for four nights beginning tonight, with a matinee on Saturday.

DOCK ENGINEER WAITS

COMMISSION NOT READY TO ANNOUNCE SELECTION.

Man for Place Must Be Able to Foresee Demands of Future, Says Mr. Selling.

Selection of a chief engineer by the Public Dock Commission is unlikely at the session this afternoon, in the opinion of Ben Selling, who expressed himself on the subject yesterday. Mr. Selling said he believed the subject could wait.

TSCHAIKOWSKY 'SYMPHONY

The Famous "Pathetique" Will Be Played at the Thursday Evening Concert.

The programmes for the two appearances here of the Great Russian Symphony Orchestra and their soloists, which were received and it is good news for all music lovers that the famous "Pathetique" is to be on the evening programme. There have been over 100 requests for that symphony after it was announced that one of the programmes would probably be composed of all Russian music.

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WANTED TO TESTIFY

Two Locked Up as Witnesses in Chief Cox' Case.

COLLIER CONTINUES PROBE

Deputy Prosecutor Declares Former Police Official Will Have Fair Trial and That Inquiry Is Producing Results.

Having given to Deputy District Attorney Collier evidence which the prosecutor admits is of a startling nature, in connection with the pending case against Chief of Police Cox, two women, giving the names Rosa Klina and Madeline Smith, were locked up at the County Jail yesterday morning to be held as witnesses at the trial of the accused official, which is set for May 18. They are held under bond of \$1000 each.

The two women were part of a conspiracy of underworld people who assembled in the ante-room of the District Attorney's office yesterday morning, in continuation of the inquiry being by Collier the day before. After they had been closeted for some time with the prosecutor, he ordered them into custody. It was reported that the women admitted that members of the police force had knowledge of their actions prior to the upheaval of two weeks ago.

"We are not seeking evidence of graft," said Mr. Collier yesterday. "That is not a part of the case which I have to handle. I intend that the Chief shall have a fair trial upon the allegations in the indictment against him and that the whole trial shall go to the merits of the case."

In answer to a question whether the inquiry he was conducting yesterday morning was satisfactory, Collier replied emphatically that it was; that the women were giving evidence of much importance.

RECORD OF LAUGHS KEPT

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Multnomah Law Library will be discussed at a meeting today of the Board of Directors of the Law Library to be held in the office of Milton W. Smith, president of the Multnomah Law Library Association, in the Selling building.

That the law undoubtedly is unconstitutional was generally admitted yesterday by attorneys who had read of the impending suit, and the question of how the library, which is deemed to be an absolute necessity, can be maintained without the aid of the public was discussed during the day around the corridors of the Courthouse building.

As the library is the property of a private corporation considerable sentiment has been expressed by those who have been compared to pay fees required by law for its maintenance. The revenue from the public enjoyed by the library amounts almost to \$4000 a year, and as nearly all of this money has been spent for the purchase of new books for the library, it is contended that the books should become the property of the county and not of the library association, which will have the right to dispose of them at any time without the consent of the county.

It has been suggested that either the library be made the property outright of the county, and thus maintained legally by the county for the benefit of the reading public, or that it be made a branch of the Portland Public Library. Members of the library association are generally willing that the library should be taken over by the county, on condition that the latter pay for the books included in it.

Members of the County Court said yesterday they were not prepared to say if they would favor the purchase of the law library, though they expressed interest in the litigation that is threatened.

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