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AMUSEMENTS. HELIOP THEATRE—(Seventh and Taylor) "Seven Days." Tonight at 8:15. BAKER THEATRE—(Eleventh and Morrison) "The Three Musketeers." Tonight at 8:15.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS. Orders for copies of the New Year's Oregonian, which will be issued on January 1, 1912, to be sent to the printer should be sent to The Oregonian at once.

POSTOFFICE BILL REPORTED FAVORABLY. Postmaster Merrick is in receipt of a letter from James A. Wetmore, executive officer of the supervising architect's office at Washington, requesting information as to how much space would be required for the transaction of business in the proposed new Post-office building.

WORK FOR IDLE MEN PLANNED.—On request of J. N. Fleischner and W. L. Brewster, of the Associated Charities, the ways and means committee of the City Council will endeavor to find means of furnishing work for idle men during the winter.

DRIVER HURT IN RENOVATION.—A team belonging to E. M. Hall, a farmer living at Clifton, on the O.-W. R. N. made a wild dash through the streets of Albina yesterday with a load of Christmas trees, causing considerable excitement and some damage.

McQUEEN AWARDED \$7500 DAMAGES.—William McQueen was awarded a verdict of \$7500 by a jury in the Federal Court yesterday against the Warren Construction Company as damages for injuries sustained from falling into an excavation opened by it at Pettigrove and Seventeenth streets.

EDWIN T. HATCH RETURNS.—Edwin T. Hatch, ex-State Senator from Polk County, and ex-Collector of Customs for Alaska, has just returned from Harauquilla, Colombia, where he visited his sister, wife of United States Consul Isaac Manning.

KENTON SEAGENARIA'S FUNERAL HELD.—The funeral of James H. Williams was held yesterday afternoon from Dunning & McEwen's chapel and final services were conducted at the Portland Crematorium.

OLD-TIME POLICEMAN AT REST.—The funeral of William O. Stitt, an ex-policeman, was held Tuesday from Holman's chapel. Interment was made in Riverview cemetery.

PARENTS-TEACHERS CIRCLE MEETS.—The Parents-Teachers Circle of South Mount Tabor will meet tomorrow afternoon in the South Mount Tabor schoolhouse immediately after the close of the children's exercises.

ART DEPARTMENT TO MEET.—The art department of the Portland Women's Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Women of Woodcraft Hall, at Tenth and Taylor streets.

PSYCHOLOGY CLUB TO ASSEMBLE.—The Portland Psychology Club will meet this afternoon at 7:30 o'clock in Oida, Wortman & King's cafeteria.

JOHN H. McCOURT HAS GRIP.—United States District Attorney John H. McCourt is at home suffering with an aggravated case of grip, but is not considered to be in any danger.

VALVES FOR STORING TRUNKS, SILVERWARE, ETC., a convenience to those leaving the city for a period of time. Chamber of Commerce Safe Deposit Co. New shipment of Keiser neckwear for men, "Not the common kind." C. C. Bradley Co., haberdasher, 344 Wash.

M. L. SMITH, Jeweler, 133 7th St. HUBSON'S GUN STORE, 118 Third St. open evenings this week. Hot MINCE PIE, fresh every day, at Morris', 21 Sixth.

FIVE DANCERS ARE FINED.—Five dancers arrested Monday night at two dancehalls were fined \$5 each by Judge Taswell in the Municipal Court yesterday. The magistrate announced that the city ordinance relating to forbidden dances would be upheld strictly by his court.

SEWERAGE FOR EASTMORELAND PLANNED.—Two plans for a complete sewer system have been prepared by the City Engineer for Eastmoreland. It is to be called the "Eastmoreland Sewer System" and the cost is estimated at \$5,818.

LIBRARY PLANS TO BE SHOWN.—The Mayor and members of the City Council will be invited by a committee of 50 from the Rotary Club, to attend an exhibit of the colored view of the Bennett plans for a greater Portland, on January 9.

REPORT TO BE MADE ON FREIGHT DEPOSIT.—The East Side Business Men's Club will hold its regular meeting tonight in the auditorium of the East Portland Branch Library, at East Eleventh and East Alder streets.

EDWARDS-DAILY BUILDING LEASED.—Phil Gevurtz has taken a five-year lease on the new four-story Edwards-Daily building, now being completed at the northwest corner of Grand avenue and Belmont street.

ALVA R. MEAD, who was married 30 days ago appeared in the Municipal Court yesterday, his recent bride accusing him of assault and battery.

SUPPLIES FOR SICK TO BE GIVEN.—At Hawthorne Park Presbyterian Church, at East Twelfth and East Taylor streets, next Sunday night the main feature of the programme prepared will be donations for the Nurses' Association.

POSTAL DEPOSITORS WITHDRAWN FOR GIFTS.—Many at Christmas time have withdrawn small deposits from the Portland postal savings bank as numerous recent small deposits were made for the purpose of purchasing Christmas gifts.

EAST SIDE WOMAN BORN TO REST.—The funeral of Mrs. Rebecca B. Clark, who died at her home, at 824 East Stark street, was conducted yesterday afternoon from Finley's chapel.

RAZOR VICTORIOUS IN SUIT.—A jury in Judge Kavanaugh's department of the Circuit Court yesterday found for the defendant in the case of K. Kitchincky against the Portland Light & Power Company.

\$200,000 IN BONDS SOLD.—Municipal and hospital bonds amounting to \$200,000 were sold yesterday by the ways and means committee of the City Council.

CHRISTMAS AT THE BOWERS. Christmas dinner will be served in the beautiful Hotel Bowers Grill from 4 to 8:30 on Monday. Concert by Nason's full stringed orchestra, \$1.50 per plate.

THE ART CRAFT AND BOOK SHOP, Tilford bldg., 2d floor, Desdemona pottery. CHRISTMAS SCENTEDS.—Art Craft Book Shop, 200 Tilford bldg. Open evenings. Hot WAFFLES at Morris', 31 Sixth. Open day and night.

SCHOOL TO HAVE RILEY DAY.—A James Whitcomb Riley programme will be followed Friday afternoon at the Brooklyn school. The programme will be: Music, "Stop, Stop, Stop," orchestra; "James W. Riley, the Boy," Lucile Reising; "Life of Riley," Randolph LaMar; Illustrated songs, Grace Thornton; "Wet Weather Talks," Ruby Wanless; recitation, "Christmas Secrets" and "Poppies," fifth grade; "Ringley's Parings," second grade; violin solo, "Romance," Marguerite Jones; piano solo, Hilma Fox; recitation, "Who Santa Claus Wrote," Edna Wiles; "Little Orphan," recitation, "The Boy with the Song of the Zephyr," sixth grade girls; "Nine Little Goblins," third grade; "Characters from Riley," first grade; "On the Sleepy, Dreamy Nile," orchestra.

ENGLISHMAN IS INTERESTED.—An advertisement in The Oregonian setting forth the advantages of the Northwest has brought to William McMurray, general passenger agent of the O.-W. R. & N. Co., a response from George Valde, of Woodlark, young railroad clerk, Carlton Colville, Suffolk, England, who is eager to come to Portland to live.

LADIES JOIN ROSS CITY GOOD HEALTH LEAGUE.—The Ladies of the Ross City Good Health League, especially selected for her healthy, beautiful, superb women as well as her roses.

JUSTICE BELL ON VACATION.—Justice Bell began his annual vacation yesterday. He will leave for his home in Seattle, where he will pass a few weeks. He expects to occupy the bench again January 2.

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FUEL PRICES REDUCED. Soft, green slawwood \$2.75 per load; blockwood, cordwood, oak, \$1.75, coal, four-foot slawwood, Banfield-Veysest Fuel Co., 75 5th St. Main 253. Sawdust for stables and butchers.

Christmas Gift for a Boy. T. M. C. A. membership for 1912, good for swimming, gymnasium, educational advantages. \$1.50 down, rest after January 1.

CHRISTMAS DELICACIES NEEDED.—The Boys' and Girls' Aid Society of Oregon has about 70 children to get dinner for Christmas day. It is desirous of either giving them chicken or turkey, also candy and nuts and as it is short on these luxuries it begs the friends of the society to come forward and assist by donations.

WHAT'S IN A NAME? A WHOLE LOT. We, as well as you, are pleased to have it on the package containing that treasure, bought and given with the intention of creating that impression, "Well bought, well given." Won't you allow us to make the recipient more than pleased, when we are willing to do our share.

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REWARD \$100.00 for any information given in regards to our missing brother, AUGUST KRANZ, who left his home last Saturday night, December 9. Age, 43 years; height, 5 feet 8 inches; weighs about 150 pounds. Smooth face, dark complexion, dark eyes. He wore a slouch hat and dark overcoat. Refer to Multnomah Lodge, No. 1, Sons of Herman. THEO. TRAUTMANN, Pres. Care Trautmann Hotel, Portland, Or.

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THE TOUGHEST BEARD YIELDS EASILY TO WEEK'S SEXTOBLADE Safety Razor



For Sale in Portland at New's Pharmacy—Woodard, Augus Krause who left his home last Saturday night, December 9. Age, 43 years; height, 5 feet 8 inches; weighs about 150 pounds. Smooth face, dark complexion, dark eyes. He wore a slouch hat and dark overcoat. Refer to Multnomah Lodge, No. 1, Sons of Herman. THEO. TRAUTMANN, Pres. Care Trautmann Hotel, Portland, Or.

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