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AMUSEMENTS. HEILIG THEATER—(Seventh and Taylor) Choirs sing in "The Thief." Tonight at 8:15.

OREGONIAN AT RESORTS. For the quickest delivery of The Oregonian at Summer resorts, subscribe through the following agents.

BUSINESS CLUBS TO MEET AGAIN. Having waived their regular meetings last week in favor of the Elks convention, both the Rotary and the Ad Club will resume their weekly meetings.

PENINSULA SEWER TALKED. Property owners on the Peninsula will meet with City Engineer Hurlbert early next month to discuss the laying of a proposed sewer to drain this district.

TOURISTS HERE TODAY. A party of 100 New York tourists in a special train will arrive in Portland today morning on the Northern Pacific and will depart tonight for California on the Southern Pacific.

REPORT OF RESIGNATION DENIED. W. C. Barbe, manager of the Studebaker corporation of America's Seattle branch, denies the report that he has resigned to go with the Metzger Motor Car Company.

NEW KNATS BUFFET. 34 and Alder st.

STREET OPENING MAY BE DELAYED.—Although East Seventeenth street through Midway in the South East Side has been ordered opened under the report and assessment of the last set of viewers it may be delayed further through the court.

EMERGENCY THEATER.—(Park and Washington)—Vaudeville. 8:15. Tonight at 7:30 and 9 o'clock.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN. In Berlin.—The funeral services of Preston B. Hooping, a veteran of the Civil War, who died suddenly at his home on East Fifty-second street and Millard avenue, south East Side, were conducted yesterday from this residence.

DR. SPURGEON TO LECTURE.—Dr. William Spurgeon, who is lecturing at the Chautauque at Gladstone, and who spoke Sunday night in Centenary Methodist Church, will lecture tomorrow night in Centenary Church on "Marriage: Those About to Be Married."

TEACHERS TO VISIT CITY.—From the National convention of the Teachers' Federation at Spokane a party of about 150 teachers who came by special train from Chicago, have arranged the routing for their homeward and vicarious trip.

DOUBLE TRACKS TO BE LAID.—The Portland Railway, Light & Power Company will lay double tracks between East Thirtieth and Milwaukie streets at the south side of Sellwood to provide the place for switching and passing of trains on the Greenham and Estacada routes.

IRVINGTON HOME. We have for sale the finest new 10-room house in Irvington, located on Thompson street, near 17th. Hardwood floors throughout. All rooms papered.

HOW ABOUT IT? To live well, comfortably and cheaply should be our highest aim. No rooms, accommodations or service surpasses the Bowers and the Annex. Special rates now.

New Bills Open at the Vaudeville Houses

AS actual marvels of intelligent training Laura and Cuckoo easily are headliners on this week's Empress bill. Laura and Cuckoo are birds. They have an amazingly lengthy vocabulary and perfect poise in presenting it for the delectation of the public.

WALTER SCOTT PHOTOGRAPHS REMAIN.—The fine collection of photographs of the country of Sir Walter Scott, loaned by the American Federation of Arts, will remain at the East Portland Branch Library this week.

DEGREE OF HONOR SESSION OPENS.—The grand lodge sessions of the Degree of Honor, the women's auxiliary of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, opened at the Multnomah Hotel last night with a reception and dance.

CHARGING THAT HER HUSBAND HAS BEEN living with another woman, that he has frequently assaulted her and that language he has used in addressing her is too foul to be set forth in the complaint, Grace L. James, wife of Edwin E. James, the proprietor of the Majestic Theater, yesterday commenced in Circuit Court an action for divorce.

ORPHEUM. WHEN a bill is of enough merit that folk applaud vigorously and that, despite a thermometer that is gradually crawling higher, then indeed must the bill be worthy the effort expended in proclaiming it.

LAURELHURST. We have for sale a fine 50x100-foot lot on Senate street, near 39th, for \$875; free from incumbrance.

For "Bread-Makers," Grandma, Mother and Daughter. Blue Ribbon Bread is the ideal Bread. It is a tasty combination of pure ingredients—sanitary baking and clean delivery in a dustproof, germproof wrapper.

40 Y E A R S

The innocent purchaser gets little sympathy these days if his title to real estate proves defective—it would have been so easy to have secured the safety and protection of a guaranteed Certificate of Title.

40 Y E A R S. A quartet that made good last season and has come again to give pleasure is the Empire Comedy Four, with roly poly Joe Jummy as the driver.

40 Y E A R S. Paul and Marmion Stone have a bit of musical comedy with splashes of fun. Their act is handsomely dressed.

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SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT. There will begin in a couple of days a sale of clothing and furnishing goods in this city, the equal of which has never been known in Portland. Retiring after 40 years of Success.

A Talk to the Ladies. You tell your husbands. Don't you like to feel, when you send your nice dresses to be cleaned, that they are in the hands of competent cleaners?

\$40,000 ALIMONY ASKED. MAJESTIC THEATER PROPRIETOR SUED FOR DIVORCE. Grace L. James Charges Husband Was Fond of Another and Frequently Assaulted Her.

RADIANT BEAUTY. The Beauty That Everyone Gave To You. Complexion Powder. Leads a blushing, youthful, beautiful complexion.

A SALE OF CHERRIES! Next Thursday and Friday we shall have two large shipments of the finest cherries ever grown.

Day-Night Summer-Winter Hot Water Whenever You Want It. Always ready for immediate use. An abundance of pure, fresh, clean hot water in less time and at less cost than by any other heater.

PEERLESS Water Heater. Ends All Your Hot Water Troubles. Compare with any other heater at any price and find out why a Peerless gives better service at half the cost.

40 Y E A R S. A MIGHTY MOVEMENT of MEN'S MERCHANDISE.

Stores for Rent. Store, 20x60 feet in size, with cement basement, at Front and Gibbs streets, suitable for motion store, small dry goods, shoe repairing, dressmaking or similar business.

I. Gevurtz & Sons. First and Yamhill Streets. Four stores in Edwards Hotel, Belmont street and Grand avenue, suitable for any live business.

THE ANNEX. TWELFTH AND WASHINGTON STS. Portland's newest and most beautiful hotel—Absolutely fireproof—Both phones in every room—Commercial tourists and family hotel—European plan—High-class grill in connection.

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