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AMUSEMENTS

HELLIG THEATER (Seventh and Taylor). Henry B. Harris estate presents the musical comedy, 'The Quaker Girl'. This afternoon at 2:15. Tonight at 8:15.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Orders for copies of the New Year's Oregonian, which will be issued on January 1, 1913, to be sent to friends, should be sent to The Oregonian at once.

DELEGATION TO ATTEND MEETING

The North Portland Commercial Club and the women's auxiliary will send a delegation to the school meeting Friday night to urge the erection of a modern schoolhouse in Kenton, a trade school for the East Side and to assist the South East Side in getting its high school. At the special meeting of the club Monday night it was voted to ask each member of the club and auxiliary to attend the meeting and support the financial programme of the Board of Education, in order that these improvements may be made, with the exception of the trade school, which the club wants on the East Side.

COLLECTIONS TO BE CONSIDERED

At the request of the American Express Company the new method of collecting water tax will be considered at a luncheon of the East Side Business Men's Club next Monday. The club has a committee to investigate the plan jointly with a committee from the North Portland Commercial Club in order to ascertain the merits of the plan. G. E. Weiler, chairman of the investigating committee, said that the movement is not antagonistic to the plan, but to ascertain if it is better than the old method. There will be speakers to explain the plan. T. J. Kreuder will preside.

IN NEW STORE

Robinson & Co. haberdashers, many years on Washington street, near Fifth, now in Yeon bldg., Fifth and Alder.

WEATHER MAN WOULD ADD TO CHEER WITH SNOW

Day Like Yesterday Probable and Fall of Flakes Will Not Be for Long, He Says.

WHITE CHRISTMAS DUE

A white Christmas is the prediction of Weather Forecaster Beals for Portland and even if the boys and girls may not be able to coast there will be sufficient of the white flakes to surfeit an Eastern Christmas, so fondly talked of by recent residents from the East.

YESTERDAY

Yesterday there was a slight flurry of snow in the center of the city and during the afternoon more than an inch fell on Council Crest, Portland Heights and in the higher altitudes on the east side.

UPPER HOOD RIVER HAS SNOW

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 24.—While the higher altitudes of the Hood River Valley are enjoying bobbed parties, the Lower Valley residents are in the midst of a typical winter rain storm.

EMPLOYEES GET CHECKS

Eilers Music House Presents Money at Close of Record Year.

WHERE TO DINE

The New Republic Grill will serve special Xmas turkey dinner for 50 cents from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M. Delicious menu includes served, 347 1/2 Morrison street, between Seventh and Park.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

A special Christmas turkey dinner will be served in the dining-room of the Hotel Bowers from 5:30 to 8:30 P. M. \$1. Phone Main 7164.

OPEN TODAY—NAU'S

For the return gift or forgotten one, there is a host of appropriate gifts at Nau's, such as Parian Ivory, perfumes, manicure articles, leather novelties and Delich Ladies' Bags, Nau's Prescription Pharmacy, Sixth and Alder-Sts.

WHOLE CITY SHOPS

Thousands Throng Stores in Final Christmas Rush.

LAST STOCKING IS FILLED

Streets Are Alive With Belated Buyers, Yuletide Celebrators, Tired Clerks and 'Fleet' of Delivery Wagons.

EVERY STORE

Every store in the city buzzed like a great hive until late last night and the auto delivery wagons raged unceasingly in the streets with their burdens of bundles from the late shoppers. And from every street corner, through the roar of the traffic, the thin, insistent "tinkle, tinkle, tinkle" of hand bells told where streams of small change were trickling into the funds of the charitable organizations, via Salvation Army kettles and red Christmas chimneys.

OWLS ARE USED

The last evidences of the Christmas shopping rush were on the owl cars. Here and there, inspired by the holiday brew of "Tom and Jerry," good humored fellows hauled the universes with wishes for a "Merry Christmas" and "Happy New Year."

2 MORE JUDGES URGED

COMMISSION ADVISES INCREASE IN SUPREME JUSTICES.

REVISION OF OREGON'S JUDICIAL SYSTEM

As an addition of two judges to the Oregon Supreme Court will be recommended by the special commission appointed by Governor West, by direction of the last Legislature, to revise the judicial system of the state and report its recommendations to the 1913 session of the state's lawmakers.

THE LOUVRE

A Dining Place for the fastidious. 4th St. Alder.

THE LOUVRE

Bachelors will find here suitable rooms, with congenial surroundings, with or without meals.

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FOLLOWING IS LIST OF THE WINNING CONTESTANTS IN OUR GREAT \$600 VOTING CONTEST

Table with 2 columns: Gift No., Votes. 1 \$1500 Baby Home 9,659,200. 2 1000 Odd Fellows' Home 6,375,200. 3 500 United Artisans, Piedmont Assembly, 458. 4,983,875. 4 500 Portland Fruit & Flower Mission Day Nursery. 4,479,575. 5 250 First M. E. Church, South. 3,278,000. 6 250 St. Agnes' Baby Home. 2,492,450. 7 200 Louise Home. 2,200,700. 8 200 K. O. K. A. Castle Rose. 2,142,525. 9 200 Teachers' Retirement Fund. 2,040,625. 10 200 Sunnyside M. E. Church. 2,024,925. 11 200 Y. W. C. A. 1,797,050. 12 100 Portland Women's Willamette Club. 1,745,750. 13 100 Oregon Humane Society. 1,315,075. 14 100 First German Evangelical Church. 983,875. 15 100 St. Francis' Church. 962,500. 16 100 Y. M. C. A. Boys' Home. 912,650. 17 100 Children's Home. 751,125. 18 100 Portland Women's Union. 739,350. 19 100 St. Elizabeth House. 731,750. 20 100 Portland Boy Scouts, Troop 2. 571,250. 21 100 Marguerite Camp, R. N. A. 557,950.

That Money You Got for Xmas

Don't wonder how you can have the most pleasure with it. Make it do you some lasting good.

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Let it be the basis of a bank account that you can make grow to goodly proportions.

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CHRISTMAS DINNER AT THE LOUVRE

judging by past years, will be enjoyed by a large number of Portland's representative people, who appreciate the cheerful surroundings, the splendid music, the good service and cuisine of this popular Grill.

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CHRISTMAS BARGAIN

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